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INTRODUCTION.

It is a general axiom that mental power grows with exercise. But time and strength are limited, and one faculty may develop at the expense of another. Thus an abnormal memorizer may be weak otherwise, or a deep reasoner may be troubled with a weak or treacherous memory. But whatever the power of memory may be, its large usefulness depends on system. Everybody "mnemonicizes"—consciously or unconsciously—but most do it in a fragmentary, unsystematic way. Objection to systematic memory is no more reasonable than objection to alphabets, mathematics, or labor-saving tools. Of course, simplicity should be a chief aim.

It is another maxim that natural memory rests on association of ideas. Experience and all mental scientists tell us that. All systems of memory helps must depend, in some way, on association. That is, a thing not easily remembered must be associated in mind with something easily remembered. So with a number of things, or a series in required order.

As memory works by association, there is some diffi-

culty in recollecting the less connected heads, illustrations, etc., of discourse; a difficulty increased by the embarrassment of public delivery. A mnemonic system used from the time of ancient Greece, which may be called the topological method, still seems to be the readiest help in discourse, because a familiar locality and concrete objects can be most easily kept before the mind's eye. The greatest difficulty—one which even the ablest minds experience—is to remember dates and other numbers, because figures are arbitrary, disconnected, hard to associate. The system commonly used for dates and numbers is the phonetic, in which each figure is made to stand for a certain sound. Marvels, not otherwise possible, can be accomplished by this method. But what discourages most persons who learn it is that the words for nearly all numbers are so fewlimited to certain sounds—that it is exceptional when apt, easy, and natural associations can be made. To appreciate how limited the phonetic system is, we have but to note how many other kinds of association there are: e.g., those of color, shape, size, likeness, contrast, time, place, person, event, cause, and effect. obvious step for removing this greatest difficulty and popularizing mnemonics is to divide ALL THINGS into ten natural classes, and assign one class to each of the ten figures. That would include all nouns or substantives and proper names, and would be the same for all languages; and it would leave the other parts of speech for multipliers, etc., when needed.

The simplest classification and order would seem to be that of nature, of the Bible, and school books.

It is worth noting, by the way, that besides assisting memory, the practice of mental association helps the other faculties, e.g., the poetic and scientific imagination, which sees likenesses, contrasts, and distinctions, and the logical, which notes cause and effect; and in general it helps the mind to get from the poverty of an apparently isolated object, fact, or thought into the rich branches, trunks, and roots of related truths—a faculty so essential to thinkers, speakers, and writers.

The whole of the following system is contained in a few lines. In practice it will prove simpler than it may appear to some at first.

CLASSIFICATION.

1. Inorganic matter. 2. Things made from inorganic matter (except things built). 3. Plant kingdom. 4. Things made from vegetable material (except things built). 5. Zoological kingdom. 6. Things commonly said to be built or excavated. 7. Geographical proper names. 8. Personal proper names. 9. Human classes. 10. Abstract nouns.

To fix the above in mind easily and at once, take

some example of each class similar in sound to its figure. As: One world, two tools, three trees, four oars, five vipers, six cities, seven Severns, eight Abels, nine knights, ten tendencies.

For those of limited education a few examples of the above classes will make the method readily understood:

- r. Inorganic. Astronomical bodies (sun, earth, etc.), physical divisions (continent, mountain, river, etc.), gases, minerals, ores, etc.
- 2. Things Manufactured from the Above. Tools, machines, ornaments, wares, etc., made chiefly from metal, except things "built." (See 6.)
- 3. Trees, Plants, and their Parts (root, limb, thorn, fruit, etc.).
- 4. Wooden Articles, and things made from vegetable products (furniture, wine, linen, etc.), except things "built." (See 6.)
- 5. Beasts, Birds, Fishes, Reptiles, and Insects. Their parts (horn, sting, fin, etc.), and animal products (milk, honey, ivory, leather, etc.).
- 6. Things "Built," or Excavated (as distinguished from things said to be made). City, road, ship, mine, tomb, etc.
 - 7. Geographical Proper Names. Asia, Nile, etc.
 - 8. Personal Proper Names. Adam, etc.
- 9. Human Classes. Offices, callings, ranks, degrees, etc., e. g., king, carpenter, rabbi, son, traveler, etc.

10. Abstract Nouns. Love, philosophy, battle, might, etc.

Use broad common sense in classifying. E. g., world, country, field, contain a variety of things; but they consist in the main of inorganic matter.

Always apply the *literal*, not the figurative, sense, except, of course, in class 10, which is unmistakably abstract.

So abundant are the things to select from that the few things about which some may doubt as to class may be avoided; or, if used, they will answer for the class to which you assign them, e. g., a box or chest—unless otherwise described—we should class as wood; or a chisel, strictly speaking, is metal, altho the handle be wood.

Besides the exceeding abundance from which to select apt words—enormously surpassing the old systems—all the articles, pronouns, prepositions, and conjunctions can be used, omitted, or interchanged with perfect freedom or indifference. They have no numerical value. This is a very slippery matter with the phonetic system, as these particles make slight impression on the memory. Most nouns are concrete things, and make the most vivid and lasting impression. Adjectives and verbs come next, and are used in natural association with clinching effect in this cosmic system in its flexible adaptations.

Another incalculable advantage of this system is that the class—not the sub-class or individual thing is what gives the *number* to be remembered. And the class of the thing is what remains longest in memory. As with the eye, what is perceived furthest away, or receding, is the class; e.g., a man, horse, or tree can be easily distinguished as a man, horse, or tree long beyond the possibility of telling who the man is or other details of the object. "Col. Guerre built a blockhouse on the Poto River," may be taken as a mnemonic naturally associated with the settlement of a certain province. Now we might afterward forget the man's name, or just what he built, or the name of the river; but the last thing to be forgotten would be the fact that somebody built something on some river there, and that would give the date. It will be noted, again, that the same date mnemonic will answer for all languages.

THE BIBLE.

For a number of reasons, to say nothing of religion, the Bible is the most important book in the world. In the aggregate, it is written about, preached about, spoken of, and thought of a thousand times more than any other book. And yet there is no other book in large use about which there is so much mental confusion as to textual contents. The reason is obvious. A

modern text-book is limited to one subject, written by one person or company consulting and working together, is scientifically classified, systematically arranged and developed—chronologically, if history or biography—so that, when once mastered, it stands in the mind an organic, symmetrical whole, somewhat like a tree, so that any detail at once suggests its place, and reference is easy. On the other hand the Bible is a library on a variety of subjects, written at a great variety of places and times—covering about a millennium and a half—by a great variety of men, in ancient, semitic, aphoristic, and so, relatively speaking, disconnected style.

Sacred buildings, with their parts, furnishings, and ornaments, also prescribed vestments, ordinances, days, seasons, and ceremonials in general, are partly mnemonic systems for keeping before the mind abstract and spiritual truths.

The division of the Bible into chapters and verses, tho comparatively modern and arbitrary, is indispensable for reference.

For those who have not a lifelong familiarity with the Bible contents, and wish to escape some of the distraction caused by handling a cumbrous concordance—the abridged ones are largely disappointing—it is a great advantage to have in mind a simple index with which chapters, passages, and the language of texts can be naturally associated and readily found. Besides, and conversely, having this mental classification is like living in the presence of a classified and orderly arranged library or store. Besides the ease of ready reference, it also serves to keep alive a semiconsciousness of the general and particular contents of the whole.

THE GOSPELS.

The Gospels, the most important part of the Bible, present the greatest difficulty to one trying to remember the place and order of contents. For some things are related in only one of the Gospels, other things in only one but a different one, some in only two of the Gospels, others in a different two, some in three, others in a different three, and some in all four; and all the Gospels vary both in contents and order of arrangement. So that it would take an inordinate length of time, or almost superhuman labor, to master and remember the order and whereabouts of different parts. In selecting words for chapter numbers, so large is the range by this system, we can subdivide and still find apt words with the vowel sound a for St. Matthew, and so with e, i, o, for the other Gospels respectively. By this simple plan we are able to recall at once which chapter or chapters of which Gospel or Gospels contain any given passage—an apparently incredible

achievement. By sound of a we mean all of its sounds, as in hay, car, hall, hat; and any other letter or diphthong having the sound of a, as ei in streight. In words of more than one syllable only the accented syllable is regarded. Note that this vowel restriction in the nouns applies only in the Gospels.

It is possible to pick out, for criticism, some of the least apt words given in this work. But any one can see at a glance how wonderfully apt and striking the overwhelming majority of the words are. It is doubtful if by any other system we can get one hundredth part of the direct and natural association afforded by this.

RULE FOR CHAPTER NUMBERS.

Use the NOUN CLASSIFICATION for the ten digits or units. An *Adjective* with the a sound adds 10 to the noun number; one with the e sound, 20; the i sound, 30; o, 40; u, 50. E. g.: Tree, 3; Tall Tree, 13; Green Tree, 23; Little Tree, 33; Old Tree, 43; Burning Tree, 53.

The few chapters above 60 in Is. and Ezek. will come under the rule for the Psalms, viz., a second adjective adds 50.

A special sub-rule for the Psalms, for the Gospels, and for the Epistles, is given at the beginning of those divisions. Besides the words given in the following work, others equaling the same numbers may be preferred and used. Often many apt ones are available for the same passage, and so far from confusing they will strengthen the association.

RULE FOR USING THE MNEMONICS.

Associate in memory the contents of the chapter or passage with the words in HEAVY-FACED type. The Nouns—with the Adjectives when above 10—give the Chapter. The first letter of the Verb or main predicate word indicates the book. Sometimes duplicates are given in parentheses, to be used instead of or in addition to the first if desired. In italics are suggested helps for the young, whenever the connection is not too plain to need it.

To those tolerably familiar with the Bible, many passages suggest the book by the style and contents. In such cases one need not trouble to remember the book words, and the mnemonic will be the briefer, tho they may serve as additional clinchers to the chapter words, if desired.

TYPOGRAPHY.

Heavy-faced type is used for the main mnemonic *Nouns* (subjects), *Adjettives* (or subject qualifiers), and *Verbs* (main words of the predicate).

Plain type for Duplicate mnemonics (these are put in parentheses). Also plain type for words immediately connected with the mnemonic words. Such have no numerical value, as articles, pronouns, auxiliaries, parts of the verb to be, etc.

CAPITAL LETTERS begin the mnemonic *Nouns* and *Adjectives*—both heavy-faced and the duplicates. But the mnemonic *Verbs* or predicates are not capitalized.

Italics for all purely explanatory or suggestive additional words—within or without the parentheses. Sometimes more than one heavy-faced mnemonic is given. These are such as serve rather to complete the idea covering the passage, than as mere duplicates.

VERSE NUMBERING.

When a mnemonic covers a whole chapter, verse numbers are omitted as unnecessary, and the mnemonic comes directly after the chapter number. But if part of the chapter is unconnected in idea, the chapter is broken up and every part is indicated by the first and last verses—a dash between.

Sometimes there is a passage which, while so connected as to come under the whole, is yet so special or important as to justify a special additional mnemonic; as, e. g., the Melchisedek episode. All such cases are

put after the chapter or larger passage in which they have been already included.

There are some verses with no very apparent connection with context, and also so relatively unimportant as not to call for a special mnemonic, unless we go into the voluminousness of a verbal concordance. Of course, one can analyze indefinitely, and mnemonicize for special purposes.

BOOK WORDS.

The book is indicated by the first letter of the predicate word—almost always a verb purely, rarely a predicate qualifier with the verb to be, *i. e.*, always the *chief word* of the predicate. The verb to be is not considered, being simply auxiliary.

The letter, for most of the books, is the first letter of the book's name. The exceptions are where the first letter is meager in words for the size and scope of the book; then the next available letter of the book's name is used. It will be noticed that the letters of the second books follow the letters of first books. S. and A. in Sam.; I. and G. in Kings, and C. and H. in Chron.

A Mental Index of the Bible

GENESIS.

I. The Earth (World, Waters, Firmament, Land, Sun, Moon, Stars) was generated. II. Hoes (Spade, Mattock) grub. III. Trees (Fruit) grow. IV. A Cane (Club) is grasped. V. The Phenix glowed. Survival, long life. VI. The Ark grew (gathered, glided). VII. Mesopotamia gulfed (gurgled with water, glows with heat). VIII. Noah goes forth. IX. 1-7. Increasers (Multipliers) grow (generate), (Subduers govern, Murderers are gibbeted). 8-17. Covenanters (Bowmen) grasp. 18-29. Drunkards grovel. X. Genealogy is given (gathers, generalizes). XI. 1-9. Flat Plains are grassy (Sandy Slime is gathered). 10-32. Flat (Family) Strata grows, Successive generations (Many, Manifold, Sands, Dust, gather, gravitate, Biblical figure for increased descendants). XII. 1-9. The Traveler's Compass guides. 10-20. The Marriage Ring should guard against such mistakes. XIII. Larger Pas-

tures (Grazing Grass) were given. XIV. 1-16. Rallied Standards gathered. 17-24. Abandoned (Scattered) Bags (Boxes) are gathered (given). 18-20. Sacred Bread and Wine are given. XV. The Halved Carcasses (Beasts) were guarded from the fowls. (Scared away Fowls go.) XVI. Vacant Rooms are garnished. During Hagar's absence? XVII. Fair (Happy, Inhabited) Canaan was granted (guaranteed). XVIII. 1-8. Waiting (Gracious, Faithful, Patient) Abraham greeted the visitors. 9-15. Laughing Sarah gasped (grasped not the divine purpose or power). 16-33. Praying (Patient) Abraham goes on (grows bold) in his intercession (is granted the terms of his prayer). XIX. Abandoned (Bad, Base, Shameless, Degraded, Depraved) Sinners go under (gangrene society, grieve God). XX. False Pretenses guard not (grace not). XXI. Fresh Water gladdens (gratifies). See vv. 14, 15, 19, 25. XXII. The Ready (Elevated, Descending) Knife is grasped (gleams, glitters). XXIII. Weeping Willows grace (grow by) burying places. XXIV. Wedding Rebecs gladden. Wedding of Rebekah. XXV. 1-18. Disinherited Creatures go away. 7-10. The Senile Body gives out, up (is gathered to the grave). 19-28. Contending Creatures grapple. 29-34. A Greedy Creature grasps. XXVI. 1-6. The Empty Larder (Pantry, Barn) goads to emigration.

6-11. The Envied (Suspected) House is guarded. 12-35. Fresh (Eastern) Wells govern the situation, movements. XXVII. Treacherous Venice grasped eastern treasures. Treachery and venison. XXIX. Earned Wives were gained. XXX. Frequent (increased) Births of children and cattle give increased responsibility. XXXI. 1-42. The Visited (Pilgrim, Rifled) Land had gained by Jacob's sojourn. 43-55. The Dividing (Mizpah) Stones guard the covenant. XXXII. 1-23. Divided (Silver) Bands gird, vv. 7-10. 24-32. A Divine Crown guerdons (Silver Medals, Prizes are given) wrestlers. XXXIII. 1-15. The Divided (Rival) Branches (Scions) are gathered. Family Reconciliation. 16-20. Simple (Kitchen) Shallots give the Sound of Shalem. XXXIV. Dining Tables groan. Dinah. XXXV. 1-15. The Flying Beetle goes. Bethel of Jacob's flight. 16-29. Dying and Surviving Bodies are gathered in this XXXVI. A Wide House to gather bassage. Esau's family. XXXVII. Conspiring Dothan (Ishmaelitish Gilead. Buying Egypt) gets (grabs, grasps) Joseph. XXXVIII. Wicked Er, Onan and Sly Tamar glory in their own shame. XXXIX. The Innocent Prisoner is guarded. XL. Inspired Dreams (Interpretations) guide. XLI. The Whole (Poor, Foodless) Land is governed by Joseph. XLII. The Whole (Stolen) Money goes back home. XLIII.

More Corn must be got (gone after, ground). XLIV. The Opened (Exposed) Sack (Bag) gets them into trouble. XLV. Whole Flocks (Loaded Beasts, Asses) to go. XLVI. The Whole House goes. XLVII. 1-12. Goodly Goshen is given. 13-26. Poor (Bought up. Mortgaged) Egypt goes to (is gained by) Pharaoh. 27-31. Not Ungodly Egypt (but Old, his Own Hebron) must get (garner, guard) his body. XLVIII. Old Jacob grows feeble, sick. (Both, Adopted, Ephraim and Manasseh get his blessing.) XLIX. The Old (Going) Patriarch (Prophet) gives his blessing. L. 1-14. An Imposing Funeral (Sorrowful Mourning) goes up from Egypt to Canaan. 15-26. Another Death (Embalming. The Closing Record) is given.

EXODUS.

I. Sands (Dust, Stars) Express multitude. II. 1-10. The Knife is escaped; and Money (the Crown) engages (employs) a nurse. 11-22. The Sword endangers those who take it (is escaped by flight). 23-25. Their Chains elicit (engage) God's compassion. III. The Bush engages (elicits, excites, electrifies) Moses. IV. The Rod Emboldened Moses. V. Beasts endured not heavier burdens, bondage. VI. 1-13, 28-30. Thrones exist by (end, endure, expire, evade not) Jehovah. 14-27. Houses are enumerated. VII. 1-7. Egypt shall experience (exemplify, not evade, escape). 8-13. Rhodes embodies (expresses) rods. 14-25. The Nile was ensanguined (extends through, enriches, Egypt). VIII. Pestalozzi expresses backward, a lot of pests. (Pharaoh entomologized.) IX. 1-7. Cattlemen (Herdsmen) experience (escape not). 8-12. The People are excoriated. 13-35. Meteorologists explain hail in hot seasons or climates. X. 1-20. A Plague (the Invasion) entered by the east wind. 21-29. Darkness envelopes (embraces, enshrouds) Egypt. XI. Gathering Clouds exhort, Warnings of the death blow. XII. The Passing (Passover) Sword ex-

ecutes (excepts the obedient). XIII. 1, 2, 11-13. Balsamic Firs (Furze) exude (express) First born. 3-16. Grateful Forget-me-nots (Paschal Wheat) emblemize. 17-20. Dangerous (Rank, Adjacent, Pagan) Hedges (Woods, Plants) exclude travelers, immigrants. 19. Transplanted Boneset is esteemed as a remedy. 20-22. Clambering Plants embrace (entwine) pillars. XIV. The Fatal Rod was extended. (The Pagan Standards were engulfed.) XV. 1-21. Happy (Escaped) Larks (Birds) exult. 22-27. Watered Flocks encamp. XVI. An Unfailing (Daily) Larder (Pantry, Storehouse) is ensured. XVII. 1-7. Famishing (Clamoring) Rephidim exhausts strength, patience. 8-16. Warring (Battling) Rephedim is encountered. XVIII. Happy Jethro exults (also explains how Moses should judge the people.) XIX. 1-6. National (Racial) Priests were established (exceptional). 7-25. Gazing (Amazed, Awed) People and Priests are excluded. XX. 1-23. The Great Commandments are enunciated. 24-26. Animal Sacrifices are enjoined. XXI. 1-11. Free Countries exclude slavery. 12-27. Reckless Countries endanger life and limb. 28-36. Beef Ranges are expected to be dangerous, guarded. XXII. 1-15. Heavy Locks (Ready Weapons) ensure against theft, 1-4, 7, 8, 12; trespass, 5, 6; entrusted property, 7-13; borrowed property, 14, 15.

16, 17. Pretty (New) Jewels (Money) entice maids. 18-31. The Penal (Threatening, Avenging) Sword shall execute (exterminate) witches, oppressors, usurers, and irreverent. XXIII. 1-8. The Even "Hedge" of the law should exemplify (enjoin, enforce) justice. 9-12, 19. Healing Herbs (Leaves, Plants) emblemize mercy. 14-19. Yearly Crops should evoke like devotion. 13, 20-33. Heather Plants (Seed, Weeds) shall be exterminated. XXIV. The Receding (Elevated, Heavenly) Picture excludes all but Moses. XXV. Every (Free) Heart (Hand) is expected to offer for the Tabernacle. XXVI. The Exterior (Completed) Tabernacle is explained. XXVII. Expert (Ingenious) Belgium (Bavaria, etc.) excels in (exports) such work. XXVIII. Priestly Aaron shall be enveloped (embellished). XXIX. 1-35. Priested Men are to enter by consecration. 36-46. Mediating Priests shall execute their office continually. XXX. 1-10, 22-38. Sweet Smells exhale. 11-16. Equal Ransom is expected (exacted, enumer-17-21. Frequent (Priestly) Cleansing is enjoined. XXXI. 1-11. Fine Minerals employ (engage) fine workmen. 12-18. Christian Countries should enjoy (enjoin, enforce) Sabbath rest, XXXII. The Sinful Image endangered the whole covenant. XXXIII. Hiding Trees (Foliage, Leaves) excluded the sight of the Divine presence. Gen. iii: 8. XXXIV. 1-4, 29. Writing Tables (Paper) enable us to preserve records. 5-9, 28-35. Thick (Thin) Veils envelop (enclose). 10-17. Dividing Rails (Cords) exclude the profane. 18-28. Reiterating Pages express (enforce) commands already given. See preceding chapters. XXXV. 1-3. Tired Bodies (Hands, Limbs, Brains, etc.) earn (expect) rest on the Sabbath. 4-29. Willing Hearts and Hands are exhorted (enter upon, engage in). 30-35. Skilful (Devising) Hands are engaged (enlisted, employed). XXXVI. The Fitted (Finished) Tabernacle is explained (executed). XXXVII. Skilful Belgium (Bavaria, etc.) execute (export) such work, Ch. XXVII. XXXVIII. Skilful (Devising) Bezaleel executes. XXXIX. 1-32. The High (Officiating) Priest is to be embellished. (The Skilful Tailor elaborates.) 13-43. The Wise Leader (Inspector) examines the work. L. The Mighty (Divine) Undertaking is executed (ended).

LEVITICUS.

I. A Fire is lighted (leaps, licks, laps). Burnt offerings. II. Pans (Plates, etc.) are lifted. Meat offerings. III. Peas are like peace, in sound. Peace offerings. IV. The Cross was lifted. Sin through ignorance, Acts iii: 17. V. Cattle leap over fences. Trespass offerings. VI. 1-7. Courts (Prisons) should lodge (not listen) to liars. 8-13. The Altar is not left to go out. 14-18. The Bakery must not leaven the meat offering (nor the Court be left while the remnant is eaten). 19-23. Pantries to be left when priests are consecrated. The offering shall not be eaten. Pan. 24-30. The Altar loosened sin. VII. Jerusalem (and Jericho, school of priests) learned about all these the rest of the laws. VIII. Moses leads in the service ("laid hands on") in consecration. IX. The Beginners must learn (lay hold, lead off). X. 1-7. Death (Punishment) leaped (was launched) upon Nadab and Abihu. 8-11. Intemperance leads to sacrilege. 9-20. The Eating was left. XI. All Countries leave some creatures uneaten as unclean. XII. The Marriage Ring legitimizes births. XIII. Scaling Bark leaves the tree smoother. Peeling skin. XIV. Wash Tubs lessen disease. XV. Nasty

(Tainted) Bodies (Skins) should be laved. XVI. The Sacred Place was left alone unentered, except on the annual day of Atonement. (Safe Stairs leave an escape. Scape-goat.) XVII. Ensanguined Zion was laved (lurid). Blood. XVIII. Degraded (Shameless) Egyptians, Canaanites, etc., lust (are lewd). XIX. Careful Learners look over the list again (Various Transgressors may learn again the Laws). XX. Various Sins are listed in this Chapter. XXI. Clean Water should lustrate and illustrate priestly purity, XXII. 1-16. Special (Clean, Priestly) Is. lii: 11. Dishes are laid aside (locked up). 17-33. The Veterinary Knife leaves the creature still imperfect. XXIII. Festive (Fresh) Boughs look well at festivals. XXIV. 1-4. Beaten Oil lights. 5-9. Fresh Cakes were laid on the table. 10-23. Heavy (Police) Clubs are laid about, on, in fights or other scenes of violence. XXV. Merciful Hearts (Animals, Creatures) Live long (love, lighten burdens). XXVI. The Legal (Perpetual, Threatening) Wall of the Law leaves but the alternatives—protection or punishment. XXVII. Pledging (Redeeming) Sinai (Canaan, etc.) should live up to its vows (shall lose nothing).

NUMBERS.

I. Sands (Dust, Stars) are multitudinous (mentioned prophetically in this very matter). II. The Compass moves as we turn East, S. W. N. etc. Leaves multiply, Levites. IV. Boxes (Baskets, Trunks, Bags) are moved by porters. V. 1-4. Bodies were moved without the camp. 5-31. The Belly and Thigh mortified, if guilty. VI. 1-21. A Monastery is maintained for monks. 22-27. A Platform or other elevated structure is mounted for blessing the multitude. VII. Versailles, Fontainebleau, etc., with their princely furnishings, are still maintained (managed) by the republican government. VIII. 1-4. Germans, etc., make (manufacture) Lamps, candlesticks, etc. 5-26. The Levites minister. IX. 1-5. The Worshipers muster for the second passover. 6-14. Absentees not to miss the passover. 15-23. The Pilgrims (People) moved as the cloud moved. X. 1-10. The Sound (Summons) musters (marshals) the people. 11-13. Paranæmia mistakes (misjudges) Paran. 14-28. Order is maintained. Order of march. 29-32. The Blessing will be missed by Hohab and his Guidance will be missed. 33-36. Invocation is made (mounts to God) each time. XI. 1-3.

Angry Fire meets (is meted to) the complainers. 4-35. A Complaining (Ungrateful, Fat, Manna, Quaily, Gamey) Land murmurs (must be managed by more elders). XII. A Cracked (Refracting) Mirror misleads (misrepresents, mutilates), Refractory Miriam. XIII. Large Grapes manifested the goodness of the land. XIV. A Fatal Bar is made against their entrance. XV. Sacrificed Cattle (meat) is to be mingled (mixed) with the "meat," i.e., flour, offerings. 14-16, 29, 30. Strange Hands must mete out the same. 17-21. Panting (Asthmatic) Horses manifest the heaves. Heave offerings. 22-29. Daft (Unwary, Careless) Heads miss (mistake, miscarry). 30, 31. Lawless (Arrogant) Hands are to be manacled. 32-36. The Sabbath-breaking Body was mangled with stones. 37-41. Raveled (Plaited, Natural) Wool (Hair) makes a fringe. XVI. Schismatic (Sectarian) Tabernacles minimize authority (mangle the truth). XVII. Ancient Rhodes mimics the sound of Aaron's rod. XVIII. Sharing (Landless) Levites ministered. XIX. 1-10. Ashy Gatherers muss (mess) the floor. 11-22. Tainting (Contaminating) Citizens (Neighbors) must not mingle (mix) with others. XX. I, 22-29. Family (Great) Deaths are mourned. 2-6. Impatient Thirst murmurs. 7-13. Impatient (Rash) Speech mastered (misled) Moses.

14-21. An Ungracious (Hateful) Spirit was manifested by the Edomites. (A Blank Refusal was met, made.) 22-29. See above v. 1. XXI. 1-3, Steep Ground (Hills) meant, practically, the same as Hormah—"fortress." 4-9. A Perishing World is ministered to from Calvary. (Mocks.) Jo. iii: 14. 10-35. Several (Intervening, Successive, Heathen) Lands are mastered (marched through). XXII. Tempting (Heathen) Money (Silver and Gold) and an Angelic Sword met (mystified, mixed, muddled) Balaam. XXIII. Seven Oaks (Green Trees) marked the place usually associated with heathen altars. XXIV. Prophetic (Mysterious, Esoteric) Books monish (move, mystify, are misinterpreted). XXXV. Beastly (Sensual, Obscene) Hearts (Creatures) Midianize (mix, miscegenate). XXVI. The Registry (Census) Office makes up (manages, manipulates) names. XXVII. 1-11. Feminine Burmah manages her own possessions. Women there have unusual control. 12-14. The New (Green, Pleasant) Zeeland, see land, is missed (mourned). 15-23. French Dauphiny (English Wales) is merged into the general government. The royal successor was nominal ruler. XXVIII. The Repeating Moses minds them (mentions) again of the offerings, etc., recorded in previous chapters. XXIX. The Repeating Leader (Days man) mentions

(minds them of) the day's offerings. XXX. Irrevocable (Female) Vows must be maintained. XXXI. The Pillaged (Midianitish) Land mourns. XXXII. Gilded (Bright, Shining) Metal is mounted (magnified, multiplied in attractiveness). Attractive Gilead. XXXIII. 1-49. The Winding (Clinging, Egyptian) Vine "that God brought out of Egypt," meanders through all those places. 50-56. Driven Stubble is managed best so; but Pricking Thorns madden. XXXIV. Dividing Stakes (Rails) mark the boundaries, borders. XXXV. 1-8. Levitical (City) Cattle must be maintained (marked off, not muzzled). 9-34. Flying Feet must make haste (may manage to escape). XXXVI. Kindred Houses must marry, to preserve name and possessions.

DEUTERONOMY.

I. The Wilderness, Plains, Sea, Land, Mountains, Hills, Vales, Rivers, Brooks, are detailed (designated, dwelt upon) in this discourse. II. 1-23. The Sword was disused (desisted from) in passing those tribes. 24-37. The Sword delivered those to the Israelites. III. Grass determined (decided) for the conquest of Bashan. See Num. XXXII. 21-29. The Forests (Cedars) of Lebanon were denied to the sight of Moses. IV. Books (Posts, Boards, the Rod) direct (deter, detail, demonstrate). Instruction, Guidance. V. The Ear dulls at repetition, though so necessary. Repetition of the Law. VI. Houses (Barns, Stores) demonstrate the goodness of God. (Schools detail, discipline, direct). VII. Canaan is doomed (dedicated, donated, delivered) to Israel. VIII. Crœsus (Midas, Dives, Solomon) demonstrated the precariousness of riches. IX. The Rebels deserved not the good things they were to get. X. Mercy and Majesty deserve (demand) fear, love and obedience. XI. A Happy or Unhappy Land is determined (decided) by choice of obedience. XII. 1-3, 29-32. The Iconoclastic (Hasty, Smashing) Ax shall destroy idols. 4-28. Graven Stones (Plates

on the gates, Traveler's Compass) direct to (designate) the place. XIII. Entangling Vines (Pagan Seeds) destroy if they are not destroyed (drive out if not driven themselves). XIV. 1, 2. Naval Deadeyes draw taut the rigging. 3-21. Market (Game) Baskets (Bags, Tables) must decide (decline, discriminate) things to be eaten. 22-29. The Market (Grain, Financial, Gain) Box (Till, Bags) to be divided with the Levites. XV. 1-11. Grasping Sharks devour (Hard Hearts deny). 12-18. The Marked (Awled) Ear detained the servant. 19-23. Cattle Firstlings (except Lame, Maimed Beasts) to be devoted (delivered) to the Lord. XVI. 1-17. Passover and Sabbatical Tabernacles are dedicated. 18-20. Impartial Gates are demanded (decide justly). 21, 22. Shady Altars are denounced (denied them). XVII. 1-7. Awful Sinai demands the best beasts and undivided worship. 8-13. Impartial Shiloh decided. A prominent place for judgment. 14-20. Grand (Palatial) Jerusalem departed from this simplicity; e. g., in Solomon's time. XVIII. 1-8. The Landless Levites depended upon the devotion of the people. 9-14. Pagan (Blasphemous) Simon the sorcerer is denounced. 15-22. The Exalted ("Raised up") Joshua, Jesus, is described as like unto Moses. XIX. 1-13. The Careless (Hapless, Man) Slayer, if he delay not, is delivered from the avenger. 14. The

Land Stealer (Stake Remover) is denounced. 15-21. False Witnesses are denounced (dealt with). XX. Brave (Lawful, Ancient) Warfare is described. XXI. 1-9. Desecrated and Expiated Land is described (dealt with, defiled). 10-14. Beaten Countries were dealt with thus (delivered up even the women). 15-17. Paternal (Inherited) Land Descends (is doubled in portion). 18-21. A Rebellious Land disobeys (degenerates, demoralizes, disorders). 22, 23. The Wretched (Fearful, Terrible) Place is dreaded. XXII. 1-4. Fence (Weak, Neglected) Wire defends not against stray cattle. 5. Unsexing (Female, Feminine, Effeminate) Jewels, etc., disgrace. 6, 7. Empty (Metal) Cages are designed for rearing young birds. 8. Protecting (Projecting) Bricks defend. 9. Separating (Cleansing) Sieves discover (dissever). 10. Separate Bits (Plow-shares) do (draw) best. 11. Mending (Threaded) Needles darn. 12. Hemming Needles decorate, without fringes. 13-30. Decent Locks should defend against such things. XXIII. 1, 2, 10-14, 17, 18. Fetid Weeds disgust (disgrace, desecrate a garden). 3, 9, 15, 16, 19, 20. Separate (Special) Plants demand (deserve) special and separate care, treatment. 21-23. Pledged Crops to be delivered (devoted). 24, 25. Eaten Grapes and Corn are not denied. XXIV. 1-5. Wedding Cer-

tificates (Papers) are now desired (demanded). 6. Empty Bags (Sacks) are detained at the mill in pledge. 7. The Illegal (Stealing) Yoke is denounced (detected). 8, 9. Separate Seats (Health Bills) are demanded. 10-13. Pledged Furniture is not to be detained. 14-18. A Merciful Yoke is demanded. 19-22. Gleaned Bread, Oil and Wine are devoted (designed, designated for) the poor. XXV. 1-3. Beaten Backs are disgraced (disfigured). 4. The Treading Ox deserves to eat. 5-10. The Bereaved Hand was destined (delivered) in marriage for the brother. 11, 12. The Unseemly (Obscene) Hand was dealt with (doomed). 13-16. An Even Hand is demanded. 17-19. Fierce Vultures descend upon the disabled. XXVI. 1-11. A Remembered Altar denotes gratitude. 12-19. A Generous (Free) and Exemplary House delights the Lord. XXVII. 1-10. Commemorated (Dead) Egypt (Assyria, etc.) is deciphered from many inscriptions. 11-26. Blessing and Threatening Gerizim and Ebal are designed (described) by Moses. XXVIII. Blessed and Threatened Israelites are directed (Blessing and Threatening Moses details at length, declares, de-XXIX. Threatened (Forgetful) Recreants (Backsliders) are denounced. XXX. 1-10. Accepted (Merciful) Repentance is declared. 11-14. Special (Blessed) Nearness distinguishes

(directs). 15-20. Free (Set) Life or Death (The Momentous Question) is to be decided. XXXI. 1-8, 23. A Vigorous (not a Timid) Land defends itself. 9-13, 24-30. An Illiterate Land declines (degenerates). 14-23. A Wilful Land will decline (degenerate). (A Singing Land is desired.) XXII. 1-47. Silver Cords (Strings, Trumpets) discourse solemn music. Song of the aged. 48-52. The Divine (Spy) Glass discloses (displays, discerns) the promised Land. XXXIII. The Whitened Almond denotes the destiny of man. (Sibylline Leaves declared the destiny of men.) XXXIV. The Winding Sheet (Hidden Bier, Coffin) was never disclosed (displayed).

JOSHUA.

I. The River is to be overpassed and the Land to be overcome. II. The Spyglass observes (overcomes distance). Spies. III. Willows, etc., are overflown "all the time of harvest." IV. Stoneboats obviate lifting. V. 1. Their Hearts were overcome (overheated, "melted"). 2-9. The Bodies were operated on. 10-12. Stomachs object to change of food sometimes (are overfed). 13-15. The Arm (Face) opposed (overawed) him. VI. The Walls were overturned (overthrown). VII. 1-9. Ai opposed (overcame, obtained a victory). 10-26. Achor obtains its name. VIII. 1-29. Joshua outwitted Ai. 30-35. Joshua obeyed Moses. IX. 1, 2. The Kings organize a combination. 3-27. The "Ambassadors" outwitted Joshua (The Hewers and Drawers obey, obtain mercy). X. Miracles and Courage overcome and obliterate the Southern Kings. XI. A Larger (Hazor) Region is overcome (occupied). XII. The Captured Crowns outnumbered thirty. XIII. 1-7. The Remaining Crop to be gathered is outlined. 8-32. The Grass Crop is outlined. Num. xxxii. 14, 33. Branch Leaves (Levites) are omitted. 22. That Baleful

(Baneful) Weed occurs (outcrops) here. XIV. 1-5. Paper Charts (Marked Stakes, Large Maps) outline the lots of land. 5-15. Flax Cables outlast cotton. XV. The Family Lion obtains a lion's share. Gen. xl: 9. 13-19. The Faithful Dog obtains more (Caleb, by some authorities, means dog); and the Sharing Lion obtains the springs. By some authorities Othniel means Lion of God. XVI. 1-4. The Large Wall of Joseph's border is overrun. Gen. xl:22. 5-10. The Large House overflows. (The Framed House, Ephraim, outlasts, overflows. Ephrain means doubly fruitful.) XVII. 1-13. Battling Manasseh, Va., obtained note, because it opened the battles of the Civil War; also two battles were fought there. 14-18. Cramping (Neighboring) Bethshean and Jezreel obstruct. XVIII. 1. The Gathered Israelites open with worship. 2-10. Rallying (Hastening) Joshua and Israelites outline to occupy. 11-28. Small, "Little Benjamin'' (Last-born, Canaanitish, only son of Jacob born there), Benjamin obtains his share next. XIX. The Remaining Settlers obtain (occupy) their lots. XX. Safe Refuge (Defense) was opened (offered, obtained). XXI. Priestly (Glebe) Lands were obtained (ordered). XXII. Threatening (Fraternal) Swords are overhasty (obviated). XXIII. The Venerable Oak (Tree, Cedar, etc.) has outlasted (overlived) most people, his day of service. XXIV. I-I3. The Record Book is overhauled (overlooked, obtests). I4-26. A Fresh (New) Book is ordered (obtained, obtests also). 29-33. Venerable (Venerated) Coffins (Biers) occupy honored places.

JUDGES.

I. The Lots (Land) must be used (usurped). Stones unfit (usurp) if not cleared away. 15. Springs are urged. II. 1-5. Bottles were used for tears. Bochim means weepers. 6-23. Hammers are useless (unavailing) on such hearts. III. 1-7. Thorns usurp (upset, undermine) the good seed. 8-11. Kale uprises in season. Caleb rises up again in the person and spirit of his nephew and son-in-law. 12-30. The Geranium uproots the Eglantine (Egg plant). Gera's son destroys Eglon. 31. The Shamrock is united with the rose and thistle in the British coat of arms. Shamgar. IV. Pegs are used for tents. "Nail" should be translated peg. V. Larks uprise and uplift their songs. VI. 1, 2. Houses were unused. 7-10. Schools upbraid the neglecters. 11-24. The Winepress was used to conceal. 25-32. The Altar was upset. 33-35. The Towns were urged to rally. 36-40. The Floor was unwet. VII. 1-8. Thermopylæ, of the immortal three hundred, and Lapland, men that lapped, are unlike. Moreh (Pompeii) was upset. 15-25. Midia was undone. VIII. 1-3. The Ephraimites upbraided. 4-9, 13-17. The Succothites and Penuelites were

ungenerous (upbraided, were undecided). Since Zebah and Zalmunna were untaken (uncaptured). 10-21. Zebah and Zalmunna underwent their fate. 22, 23. Gideon is urged to rule. 24-27. Gideon was unwise to use the earrings for an ephod. 28-35. The Israelites were ungrateful and unmindful. 30. Gideon was uxorious. IX. 1-6. The Conspirator and Fratricide usurped. 7-21. The Survivor upbraided. 22-57. The Conspirators are unceasing (unresting). X. 1-15. Tolling and Jarring unsettle a steeple. Tola and Jair. 6-18. Sin, Oppression and Repentance are undergone. XI. Black Jet is used for ornaments. Jephthah. XII. 1-6. Plain Phonographs (Graphophones) can utter "Shibboleth." 7-15. The Balancing Scales of judgment are upheld (uplifted) by three other judges in succession. XIII. The Barren Vine (Manioc, Tree, Branch, Stem) is unfruitful (unblessed, undiscouraged, urges, uses not wine, etc.). XIV. A Shaky Hive (Bench) is upset (The Strange Hive is un-XV. 1-8. Flaming Foxes were unguessed). bound (used). 9-20. An Awful Jawbone was used. XVI. 1-3. Great (Gaza) Gates were unhinged. 4-20. The Amorous (Dainty, Dallying) Chamber unmans (undoes, undermines). 21-31. The Great (Falling) House (Pillars) was upset (upheaved, unroofed). XVII. Pagan Athens used many

images, idols. Acts xvii. XVIII. The Lawless (Ravaging, Marauding) Danites undo Micah and use the image. XIX. 1-10. The Delaying Guest was urged to linger. 11-21. The Belated Traveler is urged to lodge. 22-30. The Lawless (Disgraceful) Reprobates used the woman savagely. XX. The Great Crime united (upraised) the tribes and a Great Slaughter unpeopled the land. XXI. A Decimated (unpeopled) Land is undone (useless).

RUTH.

I. The Land was ruining by famine, was run away from and returned to when the Rain returned. II. The Sickle (Scythe) reaps (requires followers to bind and glean). III. Barley is reaped (reunited Ruth to her husband's family). IV. Deeds (Paper) of land are redeemed often.

I. SAMUEL.

I. The Sun sounds like son, for which Hannah prayed. II. 1-11. Crowns shine. Exaltation, Magnificence. This passage always suggests the "Magnificat." 12-17. The Pan, Kettle, Cauldron or Pot seethed, and the Hook seized (snatched). 18-36. Spoons of silver, instead of rods of correction, spoil many sons. III. The Lotus (Poppy) soothes into waking dreams. IV. The Ark saved not, was not saved. V. The Fish-Dagon means fish-was smitten down, and their Bodies were smitten. VI. Hospitals are supported partly by contributions from afflitted people. VII. 1, 2. Kirjath-Jearim seemed far off and a long time with the ark. 3-12. Mizpeh summoned (was sought). Ebenezer signified "stone of the help." 13, 14. Philistia was subdued. 15-17. Gilgal, Bethel, Mizpeh, and Ramah were sought for judgment. VIII. The Israelites sought a king. (Samuel showed them how it would be.) IX. The Seeker sought for the asses. The Seer signified the purpose of God. X. The Anointing sealed (signified). 2-8. The Signs signified (showed) the seers' reliability. 9-13. Prophesying seemed strange in Saul. 14-16. Silence suited Saul, as to the

promise of royalty. 17-27. The Selection suited all but the children of Belial. XI. 1-11. The Endangered Land was summoned and saved by Saul. 12-15. The Grateful (Happy) Land solemnized the coronation. XII. A Precarious (shaky, unfaithful) Crown saves not. XIII. 1-7, 17-23. Gathered (Planted) Seed succeed, but Scattered Seed suffer. 8-16. Hastened (Impatient) Seed (Crops) suffer. XIV. 1-15. Scaling Ladders would be surpassed (scorned) by such as Jonathan. 16-23. Mistaken (Clashing) Banners (Staves) sounded. 24-46. The Tasting Rod stirred up trouble. 31-35. Sanguine Skewers stuck in the meat. 47, 48, 52. The Valiant (Prevailing) Standard sought to scatter the enemies. 49-51. Family Papers show relationships. XV. Saved (Amalekite) Cattle, etc., sealed Saul's doom (settled his fate). XVI. 1-13. A Favored (Faithful) House was selected from. 14-23. The Unhappy Palace (Harp Room) sounds (is soothed, softened, sweetened) with music. XVII. Saucy (Bragging) Gath was silenced. (Embattled Elah was settled by David.) XVIII. 1-4. Greathearted Jonathan showed appreciation (sealed his friendship). 5-11. Angry Saul showed envy (struck at David). 12-30. Crafty Saul schemed against (sought the death of) David. XIX. 1-7.

The Gracious Son (Mediator) spoke for David (smoothed over the breach). 8-10. The Ungrateful (Raging) King sought to smite (struck at) David again. 11-17. The Married (Unhappy) Daughter and Wife secreted an image, and secured (sent away) David. 18-24. Strange Prophets sought David. XX. 1-17. A Faithful Covenant was sworn. 18-42. The Warning Signal sent away David. (The sad parting was sweet and solemn.) XXI. 1-9. Free Air suffices not for life. David in want. 10-15. Heathen (Treacherous) Regions should be shunned. XXII. 1, 2. A Keen (New, Fresh) Tool (Sword) sharpens a dull one. Adullam. 3, 4. A Heathen Crown shelters (secures) them. 5-23. The Fearful Sword slew the priests. Doeg means fearful. XXIII. 1-13. The Threshing (Threatened) Crops were secured by David ("Negro Killer," a kind of potato, sounds like Niggardly Keilah). 14-29. The Green Woods secured (sheltered, secreted, saved, served) better than Keilah, etc. 16-18. The Friendly (secret, sheltering) Woods saw that noble interview. XXIV. New (Fresh) Linen is severed from (sewed upon) skirts cut off. XXV. 1. The Pleading Tongue is silenced in death. (The Seeing Eye is shut. The great seer.) 2-9. Fleecy Sheep were sheared. 10-44. The Mean Cur snarls (snaps). (The Braying Ass is stupid. Nabal means fool.) XXVI. A

Sleepy House will suffer an intruder to enter and retire. XXVII. Heathen Gath and Ziklag saved (shielded, sheltered) from the further pursuit of Saul. XXVIII. 1, 2. Protecting (Sheltering, Helping) Achish Solicits David's service. 3-25. Desperate (Deserted, Seancing) Saul seeks a witch. XXIX. The Heathen Princes suspected David. The Heathen (Regretful) King sent him back. XXX. 1-20. A Speedy Rescue (Recapture) saved all. 21-31. A Generous Division (Portion) was served to (saved for) those who tarried, and sent to the elders of Judah. XXXI. A Kingless (Stricken, Smitten) Land is subdued (suffers) through its ruler.

II. SAMUEL.

I. Clouds announce the fall of rain. Announcement of the fall of the reigning King. II. 1-4, 8-11. The Crowns were assumed. 5-7. A Spade answered to get David's favor. 12-32. Swords ache for a fight (Arms were anxious to see which had the best metal). III. Roses were assumed as badges in the "War of the Roses," like that between the houses of Saul and David. Abner was the Warwick. 2-5. Scions appear in succession. IV. The Bed was assaulted that held Ishbosheth. V. 1-5. His Head was anointed again. 6-10. Eyes and Legs assist in a siege, "blind and lame." 11-12. A Ram may be associated with a Hi-ram, exalted. 13-16. Flesh and Blood allied him with the Jebusites, etc. 17-25. His Hand awaited (his mouth, tongue, lips asked) the will of God each time. VI. The Tabernacle (City) was arranged for (awaited, accepted, arrived at, by) the ark. VII. Zion (Jerusalem) is assured of (appointed, awaited) the house of God, Temple. VIII. 1-13. David acquired dominion and a name on all sides (accepted tribute). 14-18. David assigned garrisons and offices. Joab, Zadok, etc., were appointed. IX. The Cripple had asinjure people. XV. 1-8. Salty (Plain) Butter (Honey) is improved by jam. Abijam. 9-24. The Faithful (Patient) Ass inclines to obedience. Specially honored in Scripture. 25-32. Dabbling Feet (Ducks) interfere with (interrupt) fishing. Nadab. 27-34. Ba-a Sheep imitate (are imitated by) children. XVI. 1-7, 11-13. The Baasha (Base) House inherited a curse. 8-14. A Lathed, Elah's, House is impervious to the weather. The Dram Shop invited to (involved in) destruction. 9-20. The Falling (Blazing) House ignites. 21-28. The Samaritan City was incorporated (instituted, inhabited). 29-33. A Habitable, Ahab (Baalite) Palace was inaugurated. 34. The Walled City was imprecated (inhibited). Josh. vi., 26. XVII. Ravenous, ravens, Cherith and Famishing (Fasting, Starving) Zarephath were immortalized by this passage. XVIII. 1-16. Faithful Obadiah interviewed Elijah and informed the king. 17-46. Faithful (Brave, Iconoclastic) Elijah impeached (indicted) the king, ignited the fire, immolated the sacrifice, and interrupted Baal worship. XIX. 1-14. The Disheartened (impatient) Prophet implores (invokes) death. Imagined himself alone. 15-21. The Reanimated (Commanded, Ordaining) Prophet issued forth again and inducted (invited, initiated) Elisha. XX. 1-21. Tall (Hasty, Maudlin) Talk

Wrangling Partisans argue and assist. 16-30. Traitorous Renegades (Deserters) apprehend vengeance and ask mercy. 31-39. The Aged Patriot (Citizen) accepted not the invitation, but accompanied a little way. XX. 1-22. A Last (Partisan) Revolt (Defection) arises, and is allayed. 3. A Hard Fate is assigned. 4-13. Hateful Jealousy assassinated Amasa. 14-22. Patient Wisdom avoided slaughter, and arrested the rebellion. 23-26. Various Offices were assigned. XXI. 1-14. Terrible (Fearful, Dreadful) Hills (Grounds) are avoided. 15-22. That Special (Healthful) Region (Country) abounded in large men. XXII. Jews' Harps (Sweet Bells, Steel Bow) associate with such a song. XXIII. 1-5. The "Tender Grass" arises. 6, 7. Rejected Thorns are assigned to the fire (appointed to be burned). 8-39. Lebanon Cedars (Memorable Plants) are associated in Scripture with mighty and chief men. 8, 18, 19, 21. Memorable Spearmint associates with spears. 9, 10. Memorable Sword-sedge associates with sword. 11-17. Memorable Lentiles associate with this. 13-17. Memorable Snow-drops, associate here. XXIV. Census Papers (Tablets, Books, Lists) were arranged and the Pestilential Rod afflicted. 18-25. A Threshing Flail associates here.

I. KINGS.

I. 1-4. The Sun (Fire) imparts (infuses) warmth. 5-53. The Land (Country) is insured against anarchy by settling the crown before the king's death. II. 1-9. The Crown involves courage, obedience, and responsibility. 10-12. The Crown is inherited. 13-25, 28-46. The Sword inflicted retribution. 26, 27. The Censer and Breast-plate were interchanged with the plow and pruning hook. 1. Henbane was imported (introduced, implanted) from Egypt. 2-28. Sage, the plant, intimates wisdom. IV. 1-19. The List (Cabinet, Portfolio) includes the names or papers of the government (is included in the royal furniture). 7-19. The Map and List indicate the locality or province of each. 20, 21, 24, 25. The Map includes all that region. 22-28. Provender is issued (must be insured). 29-34. Books instruct. V. Beavers illustrate (were imitated by) builders gathering timber. VI. The Temple was inaugurated (was immense). (Buildings are insured.) VII. 1-12. Zion included these buildings. (Lebanon insured plenty of cedars.) 13-51. Tyre included (instructed), and Judea had to import such workers. VIII. Solomon invoked (implored the

Lord) and inaugurated the temple service. IX. 1-9. The King (Covenanter) was informed of the acceptance of his supplication and impressed with the necessity of obedience. 10-14. The Lumberman (King) inspected the cities. 15-24. The Subjects of Solomon included Heathen (Bondmen, Servants, Princes, Captains, Rulers, Chiefs were included). 24. The Daughter (Queen, Wife) was inducted into (inhabited) her house. 25. The King iterated the services (invoked God) every year. 26-28. Shipmen (Seamen, Sailors, Mariners) imported gold. X. Fame, Wisdom, and Riches increased (were immense, incredible). XI. Pagan Lands influenced (inveigled, involved) Solomon, incensed God, and incited enemies. (Warning Clouds impended, as the Earth inclosed his dust.) XII. 1-24. Parted Crowns (Scepters) were inaugurated. (The Samaritan Crown was inaugurated, instituted.) (Party Axes, Shears, Scissors inflict the worst injuries.) 25-33. Pagan Images were instituted (inaugurated). XIII. The Dangerous (Pagan) Woods included a lion. XIV. 1-18. Her Laden (Market, Prepared) Basket included (inclosed) ten loaves, etc., and the Empty Cradle (Bed) informed her that the Prophet knew. 19-31. The Falling Jibbooms, Jereboam, and Rearbooms, Rehoboam, injured many. 25-28. Shaky, Shishak, Ladders (Steps, Chairs, etc.) incline to

signed to him all that pertained to Saul's house, and the Farmer was appointed to till the land. X. Suspicion (Mistrust) abused David's sympathy and condolence; and Chastisement answered the outrage. XI. The Cloud arose that darkened David's after days. XII. 1-25. The Fatal (Family) Sword arrived (was announced) "shall never depart." 26-31. The Weighty (Captured) Crown was appropriated; and Weighty (Painful) Saws, Harrows, and Axes were applied. XIII. The Graceful Tamarisk (Tamarind) may be associated with disgraced Tamar, and the risks of Sin. XIV. The Banished Rod was allowed (absolved) to come back and scourge David. XV. The Fabled (Ungrateful, Unnatural) Adder arose, attacked, and attempted the death of his benefactor. XVI. 1-4. The Farm (Grateful, Faithful) House assisted David. See ix: 10. 5-14. Glass Houses abstain from throwing stones. 15-23. The Shameful (Scandalous, Disgraceful) House-top assured all as to the royal abhorrence. XVII. 1-23. Watching (Waiting) Enrogel advised (apprized, announced) David of the souncil in Jerusalem. 24-29. Shady (Safe) Gilead was arrived at (awakened, aroused, by the arrival of armies). XVIII. The Slain Absalom afflicts the father (arrives at his doom, the end). XIX. 1-8. The Wailing King angered Joab. 9-15, 40-43.

(Threats, Boastings) issued in flight and slaughter. 22-30. An Awful Slaughter was inflicted. 31-43. The Great (Mistaken) Lenity (Clemency, Mercy) (Wasted Opportunity) was ill-bestowed (injudicious). XXI. Near (Envied, Inherited) Land impelled to (involved) ruin. XXII. 1-40. Confederate Arms issued in an Empty Crown. 41-50. Jerking Bits incite (injure). "Jee! haw!" so fast. Jehoshaphat. 51-53. A Possessed Jar can be invested. Ahaziah means Jah possesses.

II. KINGS.

I. 1. The Country was governed before that. 1-18. Fire goes down (usually goes up). II. 1-18. Telescopes gaze up. Bits guide chariots. 19-22. Cruses are glazed (ground, graduated). (The cruse gave life to the springs.) 23-25. Spectacles (Glasses) go with bald heads. III. Grass grew immensely for mobs-Moab-of lambs and rams for Jehoram. (Thistles, Leeks, etc., grow in free Mountain Lands. Mesha means free.) IV. 1-7. The Oil grew. 8-10. Beds (Tables and Stools) go with chambers. 11-37. The Staff gave no life. (Beds give a chance to stretch oneself.) 38-41. The Pottage griped (gagged) them. 42-44. The Bread grew. V. The Body (Skin, Flesh, etc.) is gnawed (grows white). (Leopards, lepers, gnaw.) VI. 1-7. The Dwelling (Seminary) grew (got) too small. 8-17. The City glowed (gleamed) with the horses and chariots of fire. 18-23. The City gave (granted) them food and liberty. 24-33. The City groans (is gnawed, grows weaker) with hunger. VII. Samaria got (was glutted with) food and spoils. VIII. 1-6. The Shunamite got her property. 7-15. Ben-hadad grew worse and gave up the ghost. Hazael goes to the

prophet for him and gets the crown afterwards. 16-24. Jehoram gets confused with the other Joram, which is the same name. 20-22. The Edomites and Libnites go, give up connection with, get rid of the yoke. 25-29. Ahaziah goes to war with Joram, and goes to visit him afterwards. IX. Messengers go. The Avenger, Driver, and Regicide girds himself and goes furiously, and the King and Queen go under. X. Zeal goes in memory with the name of Jehu; but it goes best with consistency. Vs. 29-31. XI. Volcanic Ash goes up like Joash; after concealment and amid convulsions. XII. An Ash Hoe grubs (gives "ho-ash" backward). 4-16. Repair Money was gathered (given). 17, 18. Ransom Money was given. XIII. 1-9. Rank Hazel, bushes, has to be "Gee-ho'd" through, by cartmen. Gehoahaz. 10-25. The Samaritan Ash grew some; got back the cities. 14-19. Ash Trees give, Joash, bow, arrows. 20, 21. Planted Boneset grows up. XIV. 1-20. Mazy Rigging guys (girds, goes up) the masts. (Mazy Nets gather fish, Amazing Books gull the simple.) 6, 7. The Hangman's Rope gets (garrotes) murderers. 7. Salt Sacks are gathered by the ten thousand. 8-14. A Large (Amazing) Mask goes with a large, amazing face, cheek. "Look one another in the face." 21, 22. Aged Rye-bread grows not elastic. Azariah and Elath. 23-29. The Last Jibboom governed long and got back possessions. I. Kings, xiv. XV. 1-7. Contagious Bodies must go, get away, though they be kings, if lepers. 8-12. Exact Eyes guide. 13-15. Shallow Brains give out soon. Shallam. 16-22. Many Hands, Menahan, give (go into pocket to pull, Pul, the shekels out). (Many Hens are going to raise pullets.) 23-26. Tall Fowls grab (gobble, get) most, because they peck higher. Pekahiah. 27-31. Tall Fowls get a better view—are better peekers. Pekah. 32-38. Pacing (Racking) Horses go easy—do not jolt them. Jotham. XVI. A Hazardous Boat gets into danger. 5-9. Safe Walls gave (gained) time to enlist or buy an ally. 10-20. A Damascened (Changed, Altered) Altar, etc., gratified. Ahaz. XVII. Captive (All) Samaria was given up to other people and worship. XVIII. 1-8. Faithful Hezekiah grappled with idolatry; and goes as far as Gaza. 9-16. Anxious (Quaking) Hezekiah gave up the Temple silver and gold. 17-37. Taunting (Blasphemous) Rab-shakeh gabbled in Hebrew to the people on the wall. XIX. 1-7, 20-34. The Dismayed King grieved, and the Answering Prophet guaranteed safety. 8-13. The Haughty Messengers go again to Hezekiah. 14-19. The Praying King goes to the house of the Lord. 35-37. The Blasting (Passing, Slaying) Angel goes through the camp. XX. 1-11. The Answered Prayer (Faith) gained (gave) fifteen 12-21. The Dangerous (Vain) Display gave displeasure to God and temptation to the Babylonians. XXI. 1-18. A Celebrated Field goes by the name of Manasseh in the South and Bull Run in the North. 19-26. A New Moon grows—crescent. Amon. XXII. The Neglected (Collected, Temple) Money was gathered; and a Neglected (Heavy, Concealed) Lock and Key guards important books and papers. XXIII. 1-30. The Cleared off (Cleansed, Swept, Heathen) Groves, Roots, and Branches go (are grubbed up) most thoroughly. 31-33. The Upheld (Held up) Plants grow a little. 34-37. The Set up Plants grow but little. (The Upset Plants go down.) Eliakin means El sets up, and Jehoiakim means Jah sets up. XXIV. Chaldean Ropes "Gee-haw'd" Jehoiakim and Jehoiakin, with people and spoils to Babylon. XXV. 1-7. The Paternal Eyes gaze on the slain sons, their last sight. 3-21. The Chaldean Wolf gnawed Judea to the bone. 22-26. The Treacherous Hand gave the finishing stroke, and Trembling Feet go to Egypt. 27-30. The Bent Body got release, was given a high seat.

I. CHRONICLES.

Most of the following names are known only in this connection. The Chapter of any name may be remembered by the head name of the chapter or passage to which it belongs.

I. The Earth was created. Adam means earth. II. Jewelry is called so from the Jews, the common name for Israelite. Wire (Links) of cables connect. Caleb. III. The Root of Jesse Clings in (calls to) mind David. IV. Shelves contain jewelry. More Jews. Boxes (Barrels) contain ashes, Asher, and shells. Shelak. Sticks are cut for jabbing. Jabez. Clubs (Batons) club. Chelub. Maps (Charts) caution against (contain the track of) the Simoom. Simeon. V. Robins catch insects. Reuben. Flies are called gad-flies. Some. Asses creep. Manasses. VI. The Temple was cleaned (cared for) by Levites. VII. Ischia may connect the thought with Issachar. Bennington connects with Benjamin; Naples connects with Naphtali; Manasseh connects Manasseh, tribe with place; Ephrata connects with Ephraim; Assyria connects with Asher. VIII. Benjamin was called Little Benjamin; but he calls for (claims) a whole chapter here. IX. 1-34. The Priests, Porters, Gatekeepers, etc., clustered about the temple. 35-44. The King came of this family. X.

The Chronicle of events commences here, with the Assault (Battle) that conquered Saul. XI. The Distracted (Gratified, Pacified) Country came to (under) David; and Radiant (Brave) Stars clustered around the rising sun. 13, 14. The Barley Field was contested. 15. A Large Cave concealed. 16-19. The Grateful Water cost too much risk. 22. The Dangerous Pit contained snow and a Lion. 11, 20, 23, etc. Great Countries contain brave men. XII. Allied (Aiding, Gathered) Arms collect and come to David. XIII. 1-6. Baalah Forest had concealed (cared for) the ark. Jearim means forest. 7-14. Rash (Blasted, Tragic) Furz cautions us. Uzza. 14. Large Crops came to Obed-edom. XIV. 1, 2. Large Timbers came. 3-7. Large (Family) Cradles came into use. 8-11. Breaking (Falling) Timbers crash (crush). Perazim means breaking through, 12. Abandoned Stocks were consumed. 13-17. Shaking Timbers caution us. XV. Dancing Feet (Legs, Bodies) are to be contemned, thought Michal. XVI. The Sacred (Hallowed) Tabernacle called for singers. XVII. Palatial (Fameless) Zion contained no house of God. XVIII. Waxing (Great, Prevailing) David continued to prevail, etc. The Pagan Philistines, etc., etc., were cut off. Congratulating Hadoram came. Waiting Joab, etc.,

came into office. XIX. 1-6. The Shaved (Shamed, Disgraced) Messengers came to and continued at Jericho. 7-19. The Shameless (Scattered) Enemies were chastised. XX. Large (Strange) Curiosities were captured. XXI. 1-6. The Teeming (Peopled. Increasing) Country contained (was counted). 7-30. Pestilential Air cut off 70,000. Ready (Plentiful) Tools and Money were collected. XXIII. Leafy Ivy clusters about temples. XXIV. Plentiful Ephods (Linen) were collected. XXV. Plentiful (Select, Sweet) Mouths (Lips, Tongues) chant (chorus). XXVI. 1-19. The Several Gates were cared for by the porters. 20-28. The Treasury Chamber contained (was cared for by such and such). 29-32. Deputy (Separated) Residences (Offices) covered the territory. XXVII. Regulated (Regimented, Inspected, Imperialized) Palestine was classified and captained (controlled). XXVIII. Inheriting (Selected, Destined) Solomon was committed (commended) to the assembly and commanded to build the Temple, etc. XXIX. 1-5. The Zealous (Generous) King had collected for the Temple. 6-9. The Generous Chiefs, Captains, etc., contributed. 10-21. The Blessing King called upon God and the congregation. 22-25. The Succeeding King was consecrated. 26-30. The Elder King was chronicled by Samuel, Nathan, and Gad.

II. CHRONICLES.

I. 1-6. The Peak (Hill, Mount), high place, was hallowed (held in reverence) still. 7-12. A Light helps, like wisdom (should be held above other things). 13-17. Stones hinder (hurt) chariots. II. Tools were handled. III. Cedars and Firs were hewn, and Palms and Pomegranates were hung up. IV. Furniture is heaped up (hurried up) for new houses. V. 1-10. Hands hastened to furnish the Temple; and Cattle were hurried. So many to sacrifice. 11-14. Their Hands harped, etc., and their Bodies were hidden by the cloud. VI. The Temple was hallowed. (The Scaffold held up Solomon.) VII. Zion was hallowed. VIII. 1-16. Solomon held on (hurried on) to building. 17, 18. Solomon hired (Hiram helped with) ships and sailors. IX. 1-12. The Queen heard. 13-20. Goldsmiths hammered and hurried. 21. Sailors hoist and handle sails and ropes. 22-24. Kings hastened to hear him. 25-28. Horsemen and Charioteers were housed. 26. Kings were humbled. 27. Merchants heaped up wealth. 29-31. Chroniclers honored him. X. Arrogance hastened the revolt. XI. 1-4. The Preparing Country was held back

from war. 5-12. The Neighboring Region (Country) was hedged about with strongholds. 13-17. The Smaller Province (Country) held on to the priests, Levites, and faithful. 18-23. A Small Farm could not hold such a family. XII. 1-9. Ramshackle, Shishak, Chariots (Arms) humbled Judah. 10, 11. Brass shields were hung. 12-16. The Faithless Crown was humbled. XIII. 1-12. The Unavailing Olive was held out. 13, 14. Sham Bushes hide ambush. 15-20. The Larger Branch was humbled by the smaller. 21, 22. The Waxing Plant was hardy (healthy). XIV. The Ashen, Asa's, Bow (Standard) was held up by the Lord. XV. Captured (Sacrificed) Sheep and Oxen help to confirm the covenant. XVI. 1-6. Captured (Razed) Buildings help to build Geba and Rizpah. 7-12. Pagan Forts and Hospitals help not, without the Lord. 13, 14. A Fragrant Sepulcher held his body. XVII. Fat (Happy) Judea was helped and honored by Jehoshaphat, fat. XVIII. Faithful Micaiah would have held back (hindered) the enterprise. XIX. 1-4. The Paganizing King heard (heeded) the prophet. 5-11. Warned Judges, Priests, etc., should heed (honor) the Lord. XX. 1, 2. Pagan Enemies hover on the borders. 3-13. A Great Fast with Anxious Prayer was held. 14-21. Great Assurance (Hope) was held out. 22-25. Great Deliverance was had and

Great Spoil was heaped up. 26-28. Great (Happy) Thanksgiving was heard (harped). 29-34. His Average Reign helped the country. 35-37. The Mistaken Enterprise was hindered. XXI. 1-11. Steep Ground (Land) hinders driving. Gee-ho, Jehoram. 8-10. The Edomite Land hastened to revolt when Jehoram became King. 12-20. Trembling Earth is heard in the bowels of the earth. XXII. 1-9. The Zealous (Avenging) Sword, of Jehu, hunted out Ahaziah. 10-12. The Friendly Key hid Joash. (The Threatened, Delicate, Crown was hid.) XXIII. The Queenly Weed (Deadly Henbane) was harrowed under. XXIV. 1-14. The Collecting Chest held (hoarded) the offerings. 15-22. A Priestly Bier (Coffin) haunted the murderers. 23, 24. The Avenging Rod humbled them. 25-27. The Helpless (Regal) Bed hindered not the assassins. XXV. 1-4. Regicide Blood hastens to be avenged. 5-13. Ephraimitish Hands were hired, but not held. 12. Edomite Bodies were hurled down. 14-16. The Heathen (Edomite, Sier-ious) Ape humiliated himself. 17-24. The Eager (Overweening) Face (Cheek) (Egregious Ass, Goose) was Humbled. 25-28. Funereal Horses haul generally. XXVI. 1-15. Plentiful Towers (Walls, Armories, Engines, etc.) hold a country in subjection. Safety. 16-23. The Desecrated (Trespassed) Temple humbled

him, and a Several (Separate, Leprous) House held him till death. XXVII. Resembling Dothan (Gotham) helps remember Jotham. XXVIII. The Wretched (Heathen) Ahaz was handled (hit) hard, and harried and humbled Judah. 8-15. Interceding Obed helped the captives. 16-21. Distressing Tiglath-Pileser helped not. XXIX. The Zealous Reformer hesitated not, heze, to hallow all things anew. XXX. Extensive Reform and Worship hales (hastens) the people from all Israel to Jerusalem. XXXI. The Religious (Tithe-giving) Land helped to heap the offerings. XXXII. 1-23. The Assyrian Arms were humbled (hindered, handless, harmless). 24-26. Sick Vials humble (help). 27-33. Rich Jewels, etc., were heaped, but humbled Hezekiah in the end. XXXIII. I-IO. High Groves and Wicked (Revived, Idol) Tares (Weeds) hoisted their heads again. 11-20. The Assyrian Thorn and the Chastising (Sprinkling) Hyssop were heeded. 21-25. The Bitter Almond, Amon, hung (humbled) not its head. XXXIV. 1-13, 17. Split (Defiled) Furniture is hustled (hurled) out, and the Right (Richer, Finer) Furniture is hurried in. 14-33. The Hidden Book was hauled (hunted) out and heard. XXXV. 1-19. Myriad (Josiah) Beasts were handed over to sacrifice. 20-27. The Egyptian Neck, Necho, was hardened and hastened, "commandeth me to make haste," v. 21; and the Stricken (Smitten) Body of Josiah was helped (hurried) home to die. XXXVI. 1-4. The Egyptian Lime-kiln, Eliakim, held the place, ground. 5-21. Assyrian Prisons held the Kings and Princes, Assyrian Carts hauled the vessels, and the Rifled (Fired) Buildings were hastened (hurled) to destruction. 22, 23. The Designed (Divine) Building (Temple, House) was heralded "throughout all his kingdom."

EZRA.

I. The Sun enpowers (enables, enriches, enlightens). (The Earth is enabled, etc., by the sun.) Cyrus means sun. II. The Graver engraves (the Needle etches, the Knife erases) names. III. The Sod (Weeds, Roots, Grass) was excavated for altar and foundation, and Cedars were engaged. Willows emblem (express) weeping. IV. Letters were exchanged and Books were examined. V. The Lynx eyes what is going on; and Eyes examine the records at Babylon. VI. The Temple was enjoined, encouraged, and erected. VII. Babylon was exchanged for Jerusalem by Ezra; and Jerusalem was entrusted to Ezra. VIII. Ezra with Jews, Gershom, et al., emigrated; and Ezra entrusted the treasures to the priests. IX. 1-4. Men, even Rulers and Princes, had entered into marriage with the heathen. (Heathen entangle.) 5-15. The Leader (Priest, Intercessor) entreated God. X. Reform (Divorce) was enforced (executed).

NEHEMIAH.

I. His Country needed him, and had neglected God and prayer. II. 1-8. The Cup neared the Crown (needed a trusty bearer). 9-11. Arms were needed for protection. 12-16. A Lamp (Lantern, Compass) is needed to survey by night. 17-20. The Watch (Clock, Bell) notifies when to rise and work. III. Pears need walls to protect. Re-pair-ers of the wall. IV. Bags are needed for sand ballast. San ballat. (Traps are needed for foxes, and Batons for watchmen.) V. 1-13. Sharks, usurers, were notified (non-suited). 14-19. Mouths (Bodies) were nourished at his table. VI. 1-9. The Village was not named, 10-14. The Temple was named as a safe place. 15-19. The City was notified as to what took place, through relatives and spies. VII. 1-4. Jerusalem needed vigilance. 5-73. Judea named and numbered its ancestry from this list. VIII. 1-12. Ezra narrated, Nehemiah and others noted where the Jews needed explanations. 13-18. Booths were noted as salvationists (as actors). Booths. IX. Confessors narrated at length their past. X. The Covenant named those who sealed it. XI. The Various Provinces named and numbered those to dwell at Jerusalem, etc. XII. 1–26. Graven (Brass) Plates (Tablets) name people to be commemorated. Such as are desirable. Zerubbabel. 27–47. Brass Trumpets notify. (Brass Bands are noisy on such occasions.) XIII. 1–14, 23–31. Pagan Tares (Seed) were noticed (notorious, noxious). 15–22. Sabbath Fruit, etc., were not needed (necessary).

ESTHER.

I. The Provinces were summoned to the feast, and were shown the decree about women. II. 1-20. The Crown Settled on Esther. 21-23. The Keys (Crown) suited not such chamberlains. III. Grass suggests a hayman, Haman, and the harvest of death be prepared. IV. 1-14. A Hatch (Hatchment, Hatrack) suggests Hatach. 15-17. Bread and Wine suggest eating and drinking. V. 1-8. Mastiffs are shunned. Esther's risky approach. 9-14. A Neck was selected for the gallows. VI. 1-3. The Chamber was sleepless (soothed not). 4-11. The Streets stare (see a sight). 12-14. The Home (House) was saddened (sorrows). VII. Tyburn (Old Bailey) suggests hanging. VIII. Mordecai succeeded (superseded) Haman, and the Jews were summoned to save themselves. IX. 1-19. The Avengers and Feasters were satisfied. 20-32. Patriots set aside (sanction, sanctify) such days. X. His Greatness is shown (set down in the "book of the chronicle").

I. 1-5. The Earth belongs to the rich (is blessed by such as Job). 6-12. The Earth had been bestrode (was blamed, is beset by) Satan. 13-22. The Country was beset by Sabeans, the Fire burned and the Wind blew. II. Potsherds are broken (bruise). III. Rue bites (is bitter). Job rues his birth and life. IV. The Howdah is borne by the elephant, Eliphaz. 1-11. The Staff is broken, which had supported others, and his own confidence of rectitude. 12-21. The Bed beheld a vision. V. 1-5. The Goose (Ass) blunders. 6. The Mole burrows. 7. The Fire-fly burns a light. 8-11. Ravens beg (beseech "call upon Him"). 12-14. Foxes burrow in vain. 15-27. His Sheep are befriended (blessed). VI. 1-4. Ships are ballasted, "weighed," "sand." 5. The Barn brays and bellows. 6, 7. The Kitchen bakes (bastes). 8-13. The Tomb is besought. 14. The Home (Asylum) befriends. 15-23. The Bridge was beset (betrayed). 24-30. Schools bestow teaching, words, tongue. VII. Greenwood (Norwood, etc.) Buries. VIII. Bildad builds up his argument. 4-10. Solom (Solomon, etc.) of former ages, bequeathed knowledge. 11-22. Linnæus beJOB. 71

stowed names botanical, "rush, flag, herb, root, branch." IX. The Patriarch (Speaker, Sufferer) bows in awe and bemoans before the Omnipotent. X. Complaint and Expostulation break forth. XI. The Answering (Shaming) Zephyr-Zopharberates. 7-12. The Great (Awful) Heavens (Depths, Earth, Sea) bewilder man. 13-20. Handled Soil (Coal) besmirches, but Passing Waters bear away misery, and the Awakening Sun breaks forth (beams). XII. The Aged (Ancient, Sage, Patriarchal) Spectacles (Glasses, Pen) bows. The Awful (Fateful) Crown (Scepter) bends (bows) all. XIII. 1-13. Quack Herbs benefit not. 14-28. The Slain Plant (Breaking Leaf, Blasted Stubble) beseeches. XIV. The Hastening (passing) Bier (Coffin) is borne away (bemoaned). XV. The Aged Elephant—Eliphaz—(Sage, Owl, Gray Hairs) bespeak wisdom, but the Rash Body (Fat Face-Flanks) breaks forth. XVI. The Rash (Quack, Accident) Hospital is brutal (bespattered, bewailed). XVII. Base Hinnom belongs to Judas and the tombs. XVIII. Impatient (Answering) Bildad breaks out again. 5, 6, 14, 15, 18. Pale Lucifer is to be blotted out. 7-10. Crafty Machiavelli (Satan) is betrayed. XIX. 1-22. Estranged Friends (Wife, Kinsfolk, Brethren, Acquaintances) break (betake themselves) away. 23-29. The Hard Engraver bears on his tool. The Redeemer was believed in. XX. Awful (So far—Zophar) Retribution shall befall. XXI. The Equal Earth bears with all, and then buries all. XXII. The Eliphaz (Temanite) Trumpet is blown, for the charge against Job. False charges. (Clean Bricks are "built up.") XXIII. Mysterious (Secret, Dense) Woods bewilder. XXIV. Seized (Pledged, Kept, Secreted) Boxes (Bags, Furniture) are brought to light, judgment. XXV. Unclean Worms burrow (bore, build—Bildad). XXVI. The Heavenly (and Earthly) Temple is built by the Omnipotent. XXVII. Threatening Babylon broke not the integrity of Daniel, etc. XXVIII. Proverbial Solomon borrowed these figures from nature or Job. See Prov. XXIX. The Exemplary (Beneficent) Landlord (Sheik) bemoaned his former state. XXX. Extreme contempt has befallen him (is bewailed, bemoaned). XXXI. The Trying (Convincing, Convicting, White) Light bears out the true character. XXXII. The Little Retort bursts out. XXXIII. The Chastising Birch (Bitter Herbs) brings reformation, blessing, health, deliverance. XXXIV. The Divine (Highest) Seat brings all to judgment. XXXV. The Singing Nightingale, "song in the night," and Wiser Beasts and Fowls bespeak humility. XXXVI. A Wide (Righteous) Highway is built JOB. 73

(Throne belongs to God.) XXXVII. The Windy Atlantic blows. XXXVIII. The Omnipotent (Omniscient, Wise, Almighty, Sublime, Convincing, Convicting) God begins to bring Job to light and repentance. XXXIX. The Wisest Zoologists bow (bend in awe). XL. 1-5. Timely (Vile) Humility begins. 6-14. A Divine Challenge is brought. 15-24. Mighty Vehemence, behemoth, (Power) is bestowed of God. XLI. Hot Water boils, and Strong Iron is broken. XLII. 1-6. The Modern Graphophone and Veriscope bring back what might be forgotten by the hearing ear and seeing eye. 7-9. The Wrong Scales of judgment are balanced aright. 10-17. More Money and a Long Chain of descendants were bestowed (brought to) Job.

PSALMS.

The Book. The Psalms mnemonics are distinguished by having no verbs except for Psalms above 100. And those verbs begin with P.

Rule for numbers above 60: A Second adjective adds 50. The verb adds 100.

Owing to the disjunctive and inarticulate nature of the Psalms an exhaustive analysis would be voluminous beyond the purpose of this work. Some verses must be associated rather arbitrarily with the nearest mnemonic; or any one can make a special one if it is very desirable.

A few words are given for each Psalm. In the longer Psalms a few verse numbers are given to point out the connections.

I. Ground Walketh, Standeth. Water, planted by. Wind driveth away. II. Crown, Rod of iron, Pottery. III. Hedge, shield, Poppy, slept. Nuts, broken teeth. IV. Stretcher, enlarged. Settee, set apart. Stand, Awning, Stand in awe. Bed. V. Ear, give ear, hearken. Cock, hear in the morning. Ass, the foolish. Wolf and Fox, blood-thirsty and deceitful. Hare, 7. Steed led among enemies, 8. Throat and Tongue, 9. Turtle (Limpet) defend,

shield. VI. Hospital. VII. Adullam or Engedi, where David took refuge. VIII. Adam, made lower than angels and put over all. IX. Praises, 1. Singer, 2. Judge, 4, 7, 8, 16, 19. Enemy, 3, 6. Heathen, 5, 15. Refugee, 9. Inquisitor, 12. Poor, 18. Men, 20. X. Absence in Trouble, 1. Pride Devices, 2. Covetousness, 3. Thoughts, 4. Judgments, 5. Adversity, 6. Cursing, Deceit, Fraud, Mischief, Vanity, 7. Secrecy, Spite, Oppression, Judgment. XI. A Safe Mountain, Raining Fire and Brimstone. XII. False Teeth, 1-5. Cased Silver, 6. XIII. Plaintive Forgetmenot, 1. Fatal Poppy (Lotus), 3. XIV. Paper Cap (Strait Jacket) sinful folly. XV. Patient Sheep, Patience and innocence. XVI. Happy Home (Abode) and Escaped Tomb. XVII. Paved Gabbatha, 1-3. Trial of Jesus. Dangerous Ghauts (Africa, etc.), dangerous men and beasts. XVIII. Grateful David and Baffled Saul. XIX. The Great Declarer, 1-6. Great Lawgiver, 7-12. Rash Presumer, 13. Patient Meditator, 14. XX. Day Trouble, Sanctuary Help, All Offerings, Hearty Desires, Glad Salvation, All Petitions, Safe Anointing, Vain Trust. XXI. Real Gold and Searching Fire. XXII. Piercing Spear and Nails. This Ps. is especially associated in mind with the crucifixion. XXIII. Green Pastures (Grass). XXIV. Welcoming

Doors (Entering Ark). Supposed to have been written when the ark was brought to Zion. XXV. Meek (Pleading) Sheep (Eyes, Mouth, Tongue). XXVI. Supreme Court and Clean (Dear) Church (Altar). XXVII. Treacherous Keilah and Zif, I. Sam. xxiii, and Precious (Protecting, Teaching, Leading) Zion. XXVIII. Hearing (Recompensing, Blessing, Strengthening, Feeding) God (Lord). Tremendous Speaker, voice. XXX. Healing Deliverance, Remembered Holiness, Temporary Anger, Concealed Presence, Dead Profit. XXXI. Mighty Rock, Secret Cave. XXXII. Silver Lid, 1, 2, covered. Silver Probe, 3-5. Guiding Compass, 6, 8, 10. Guiding Bit, 9. XXXIII. Vibrant Woods (Leaves), 1-6. Briny Weeds, 7. Fixed Roots, 8-12. High Trees, 13-15, looking down. Swinging Boughs, 16-22. Absalom. XXXIV. Silly Mask. Supposed to commemorate David's playing the madman. Delightful Bread, taste and see, suffer hunger. XXXV. Wild (Pitiless) Beasts. XXXVI. Light House, High Observatory. XXXVII. Little Palestine (Switzerland, Holland). XXXVIII. Afflicted Job. XXXIX. Sighing (Crying, Dying) Mourners. Psalm used in the burial service. Divine Deliverance, Thy Will. XLI. Cold Ground, poor, sick, afflicted Job, 1, 20. XLII. Holy Chalice (Golden Cup) for thirsty. Sounding Lead,

which seamen cast down into the deep. XLIII. Lost (Close) Woods, send out thy light. XLIV. Broken Bow. XLV. Royal Doves, King's marriage. Royal Camels with guests and presents. XLVI. Solid Foundation, Holy City. XLVII. Royal (Conquering) Zion (Heaven). XLVII. Fortunate (Metropolitan) Solomon. (Jehoshaphat, II. Chron. xx: 19, 25, 36. Some suppose that suggested this Ps.) XLIX. Poor Millionaires. L. Solemn Reproof (Indictment). LI. Purifying (Purging) Water "Springs ever fresh the flood of tears," Keble, on this Ps. LII. Cutting Razor (Pruning Knife). LIII. Dull (Stupid) Asses. (Brains). LIV. Shut Doors against strangers. LV. Fugitive Doves, 1-8. Cunning (Cruel) Foxes, 9-23. Burdened Beast, 22. LVI. Hungry Prison swallow me up. LVII. Hungry (Trustful) Adullam. LVIII. Cruel Jeffries. Judge in the "bloody assize." LIX. Furious Scavengers. LX. Just Division (Apportionment).

Note. In the next forty Psalms a second adjective adds fifty. The vowel of the second adjective has no significance.

LXI. Far-reaching Earth (Far Higher Rock). LXII. Curved Rock Seat. LXIII. Parched Land Plants. LXIV. Waiting Bent (Sudden) Bow. LXV. Waiting Unwatered Flocks, LXVI. Safe Fire Engine and Grateful

Sacrificial Altar. LXVII. Greatly Blessed Europe, etc. LXVIII. Greatly Praised JAH. LXIX. Plaintive Sinking Swimmer, 1, 2, 14, 16. Hateful Reviling Persecutors. LXX. Hasty Needed Help. LXXI. Gently Falling Snow. Symbol of old age. A Ps. of old age. LXXII. Bequeathed Enduring Scepter. LXXIII. Green Flourishing Weeds, LXXIV. Wrecked Carved Work. LXXV. Headstrong, Horned Ox. LXXVI. Terrible Salem Tabernacle, LXXVII. Remembered Ancient Uz, 1-13. Remembered Ancient Sinai (Paran), 14-20. LXXVIII. Disobedient Ancient Israelites. LXXIX. Terrible Invading Heathen (Enemies). LXXX. Merciful Former Transplanting. Terrible Present Uprooting. LXXXI. Visited Egyptian Land. LXXXII. Rightly Used Scales. LXXXIII. Hidden Heathen Woods. Moab, etc. Driven Heathen Stubble. LXXXIV. Wide Open (Holy) Doors. LXXV. Divine (Right, Mighty) Peaceful Lion. LXXXVI. Wide Open Auditorium (Vestibule), 1, 3, 6, 9. LXXXVII. Highly Honored Zion. LXXXVIII. Imprisoned Dead Lazarus. LXXXIX. Almighty Merciful King, 1-18. Highly Favored (Chastened) King, 3, 4, 19-52. XC. Little Earthly Life. XCI. Solid Protecting Rock. XCII. Golden (Holy) Musical Instruments, 1-6. Holy Planting Tools,

7-15. XCIII. Mossy Water Oak. XCIV. Holy Judgment Seat. XCV. Worshiping Obedient Flock. XCVI. Holy Worshiping (Choral) Courts. XCVII. Glowing Cloudy Etna. XCVIII. Holy Coming God. XCIX. Holy Exalted Judge. C. Old Hundredth Psalm.

Note. From here on in the Psalms a verb adds 100. CI. The Land is to be purged (purified) of evil. CII. The Probe pierces (penetrates) and the Vials are poured out for the afflicted. CIII. Fruit (Grain, Crops) praise God. A psalm of thanksgiving. CIV. Pictures that portray the power and providence of God. CV. The Mouth shall praise the Lord for all His wondrous works. Frogs, etc., plague Egypt. CVI. Monuments perpetuate history, events. The Israelites were monuments of God's patient mercy. CVII. Egypt pressed, the Sahara parched, the Atlantic pitches (and plunges), and Canaan should praise. CVIII. David will play, praise, and prevail. CIX. The Cursers and Slanderers persecute and are prayed against. CX. Royalty and Priesthood preside and prevail. CXI. The Created (Great) praises (proves). CXII. Sanctified World (Charitable, Standing) Money praises and preserves. CXIII. The Tallest Tree is pliable (praised). CXIV. A Shaken (Agitated) Picture (Frame) presents such a scene CXV. Sham

Mouths, Eyes, Ears, and Hands are praised by the heathen. CXVI. The Sacred Courts are paid for vows. CXVII. All Europe, etc., praise ye the Lord, all nations. CXVIII. Grateful and Sacrificing Israel and Aaron praise. CXIX. The Law Student praises (prolongs the subject). CXX. False Pretenses are prayed against, and the Hated Peace was put (pushed) away. CXXI. The Helpful Hills preserve. CXXII. Peaceful Bells peal out the glad invitation to God's house. CXXIII. The Tender Iris—eyes—peeps (prays, puts up, petitions). CXXIV. Protecting Rails, at the side, preserve (prevent falling), 1-5. Treacherous Nets perplexed (but prevailed not). CXXV. Defended (protected) Hearts are preserved (protected). CXXVI. Replenished Garners (Barns) praise. CXXVII. Oppressing Egypt prevailed not in destroying the insects. CXXVIII. Blessed Israelites are productive (prolific). CXXIX. Persecuting Enemies plowed. CXXX. A Deep Voice Pleads. CXXXI. High Hills prevent little ones. CXXXII. The Striking (Chiming, Ringing) Bell proclaims bed time. Priests clothed, and before the tabernacle at mass. CXXXIII. Binding (clinging) Woodbine (Vines, Roots) preserve unity. CXXXIV. The Vigil Seat pitched (precipitated) the monks who fell asleep at night in vigil. Some still to be seen in old

choirs. CXXXV. Living (willing) Lips praise, but Idol Mouths, Eyes, and Ears parody. CXXXVI. The Mightest Buildings are not preserved forever, endureth. CXXXVII. Idle (Inquisitive) Babylon pitied not. CXXXVIII. Singing David prophesied. CXXXIX. The Omniscient Maker perceives (probes, pierces, penetrates). CXL. Wicked Violence plots (is prayed against, Divine Help protects). CXLI. The Odorous Air pervades, incense. The Stony Places (Ground) precipitates (pitches) overthrown in stony places. CXLII. The Mourning Urn pours out. The Forged Chains press. CXLIII. The Ground Pine Pleads (pines). CXLIV. The Strong Bow prevails. A Wooden Harp may Praise. CXLV. The Royal Mouth (Heart) persists in praising with this Psalm said to have been David's favorite Psalm. CXLVI. Old Cathedrals praise God and entomb princes. CXLVII. Prosperous Jerusalem praise ye, 2, 12-14, 19-20. CXLVIII. Exploring (philosophical) Newton, etc., praised God. Preeminent in physical, astronomical, etc., knowledge and devotion. CXLIX. Choral Dancers and Minstrels Praise. CL. The Whole Orchestra (Oratorio) praises.

PROVERBS.

I. 1-6. The Sun—sol—son—radiates light. 7-9. The Ground receives the seed, best sown at the beginning and by parents. 10-19. The Moon reveals night deeds. 20-23. The Country rears simple or knowing ones for the city. 24-33. The Whirlwind is reaped by those who sow the wind. II. 1-9. The Key reserves (renders safe) "hide, seek, searched out, hid treasures, layeth up, keepeth." 10-15. The Breastplate renders safe, "heart, preserve, keep thee." 16-22. Tools rake the paths and root out. III. 1-4. Forget-me-nots and Bindweed remind us. 5, 6. Reeds are not to be relied on, "lean not." 7, 8. Sage, Iris, and Boneset remind us of this passage. 9, 10. Fruits are to be rendered first. 11, 12. Birch (Hickory, Bitter-sweet) rectifies, corrects. 13-18. Sage and the Tree repays (is richer). 19, 20. The Dewberries ripen. 21-28. Moss (Grass) rests the feet, and when lying down. 27-29. Foxglove reminds of the hand and devise. 30-32. Olives remind of peace and the presser. 33. The Ivy runs up the house. 34. Violets remind of lowliness. 35. Sage receives glory. IV. 1-4. The Cradle rocks children and receives doctrine. 5-27. The Till and

Cane remind of "get, keep, hold, way, walk, steps, paths." V. The Flesh rules (ruins, runs riot) with the unchaste. VI. 1-6. Banks receive (reserve) surety. 7-11. The Chamber retards (robs, rests) the sluggard (Garners, Barns, rot). 12-15. The Forecastle retains nautical and forward people. 16-19. Prisons retain such groups. 20-35. Houses (Homes) are ruined by bad sons and wives. VII. Pompeii (Gomorrah) rioted thus (was ruined). VIII. Sophia rewards. IX. 1-6. The Hostess Regales. 7-12. The Scorner is reproved and rebuked. 13-18. The Temptress ruins many. X. Proverbs run through this and following chapters. (Proverbs are remembered.) 1. Parentage rejoices. 2, 9, 11, 16. Wickedness returns (retains not), but Righteousness rescues. 3. Sustenance (support) remains to the righteous. 4, 5. Slackness ruins, diligence rewards. 8, 10, 13, 14, 23, 29. Wisdom receives; Folly ruins. 12, 18. Hatred rouses strife. 15, 22. Poverty ruins. 17. Reproof is refused. 19-21, 31, 32. Garrulity rattles (runs) on. 22. Blessings redouble. 24. Fear rewards the wicked. 25, 30. Righteousness remains. 26. Sloth rests too much. 27. Longevity rewards. 28. Hope rejoices. XI. The Mountain (Sun) rises up. Uprightness and right dealing the most frequent idea in this chapter. XII. 1. The Safe Bit is rejected by

brutes. 2, 3. False Vises retain not. 4. The Chaste Crown rots not. 5, 6. Waiting Daggers revenge. 7. Standing (Stable) Bricks remain. 8-9. False (Lacking) Medals ridicule. 10-14. Hard Bits ruin (rub) "beast, lips, mouth, tilleth, fruit." 15. Cracked Mirrors reflect our "own eyes." 16. A Blaring Trumpet reveals (resounds). 17-18. The Jagged Sword rends (rasps). 19. A Fast Bit retains. 20, 21. The Waiting Dagger reaches the heart. 22, 23. A Safe Bit restrains lying and foolish lips. 24. The Patient Scepter rewards. 25. The Weighty (Slave) Chain reduces strength, spirit. 26. Neighboring Door-plates rectify mistakes. 27. The Waiting Pot roasts not. 28. Safe (Track) Rails are riveted. XIII. 1. Faithful (Fragrant) Sage is respected. 2, 3. Safe (Savory) Fruit is relished. 4. Waiting Crops are ruined. 5. Shameful (Nauseating) Fruit rots. 6. Tangling Weeds retard, in the way. 7, 11. Patient Crops repay. 8. Ransomed Crops are returned. 9. Flaming (Fat) Pine rejoices the poor. The only light in some parts of the country. 10. The Gaudy Cockscomb reminds of pride. 12. The Patient Tree revives. 13-21. The Safe (Sacred) Hedge restrains. "Hedge of the Law," a rabbinical term. 22-24. The Chastening Birch repays. Safe Dishes are refilled (replenished). XIV. 1.

Nailed (Fastened) Boards remain. 2. A Walking Staff rests. 3. A Sapless Rod rattles. 4. The Patient Yoke replenishes the crib. 5, 25-33. Faithful Papers report the truth. 6-9, 24. A Paper Cap reminds of a fool. Knowledge, mock. 10. Strange Wine is not intermingled. 11. Stanch Beams remain, firm, fixed. 12-15. False Maps (Books, Guideposts) ruin many. 13. Vain Wine restores not (reacts). 14. Back Seats roll off. 16-18. Raging Wine rushes us away. 21. Neighboring Doors are to be respected. 22. Unsafe Nets are risked (risky). 23. Scant Bread remains for (rewards) mere talk. 26, 27. A Safe Door receives. 28. A Large Map represents a multiplied population. 29. Hasty Pudding rushes (is relished). 30. Hard Lumber resists. Heart of oak. 31. Charity Bread returns "after many days." 32. Brandished Clubs repulse, drive away. 33, 35. Exalted Standards rally to the king. XV. 1, 2, 4, 7, 18, 23, 28. A Safe Tongue (Mouth, Lips) restrain (retain, reward). (A Bad, Rash Tongue raves, rages, ruins.) 3, 30. The Glad Eye rejoices. 5, 12, 20-22, 31-33. A Mad (Bad) Brain rejects instruction, etc. 6, 16, 25, 27. The Gnawing Moth ruins (riddles) house goods. 8-10, 17, 19, 24, 26, 29. The Strange Ox resists. 11-15, 30. A Glad Heart rejoices. XVI. 1-15. The Established

Throne rules (reigns, regulates). 16, 20-24. Safe Schools rear wise scholars. 17-19, 25-33. A Safe Highway is recommended. 32. A Taken (Captured) City is ruled. XVII. 1. Babel. 3. Furnace. 11. Ezra. 14, 19, 20. Strife of tongues. Ancient Babylon reminds of these. 2. Joseph. 10, 11-13. Pharaoh. Ancient Egypt reminds of these. 4, 7. False Crete is referred to. Tit. ii: 12. 5. Hating Edom was remembered. Ps. cxxxvii. 6. Ancient Ur reared the Patriarch. 8. Ancient Sheba rendered gifts. 9, 17, 18. Ancient Syracuse reminds of Damon and Pythias. 23, 26. Pagan Rome remanded the just, through Pilate, Felix, etc. 16. Prating (Waiting) Athens "to hear some new thing" rejected Paul. 21, 25. Insane Bedlam received such. 22. Sanitary Maryland restores like medicine. 24. Far Patagonia reaches to the end of the earth. 27, 28. Ancient Sparta restrained (refrained from) much speech-Laconic. XVIII. Chattering (Babbling, Blabbing, Gabbling) Zany (Xantippe) restrained not the tongue, (remind of these). XIX. 1, 4, 7, 17, 22. The Patient Poor (Pauper) receive help. 2, 3, 8, 10, 16, 29. Rash Fools repent. 5, 9, 28. False Witnesses regard not the truth (receive bribes). 6, 10-12. Patient Princes restrain impulse. 13, 18, 27. Wayward Sons regard not (run to evil). 13, 14.

Faithful Wives refrain. 15, 24. Lazy Idlers refuse to work. 11, 12, 19-21, 23. Wrathful Railers rue it (rage). 25-29. Hasty Scorners are reproved. XX. 1. Raging Intemperance ruins. 2. Angry Royalty rages (roars). 3. Sad Strife is roused by meddling. 4. Lazy Sluggishness refuses to work. 5. Latent Counsel remains unused. 6. Faithful Goodness remains scarce (is rewarded). 7. Fatherly Integrity remains (redounds) to the children. 8. Great Dignity (Majesty) repels evil. 9. Immaculate (Chaste) Purity remains unknown. 10, 23. Weight Cheating revolts. 11. Careless (Happy) Childhood recognizes good and evil. 12. Natural Hearing and Seeing are received from the Lord. 13. Lazy Sleep robs. 14. A Sharp Bargain rejoices the buyer. 15. Gained Knowledge is retained (is richer than rubies). 16. Strange Surety is risky. 17. Base Deceit repays. Established Counsel and Advice reassure. False Confidence ruins many. 20. Ungrateful Curses return to roost at dark. 21. Hasty Inheritance remains not at the end. 22. Repaid Evil resign to the Lord. 24. Man's Goings remain with the Lord. 25. Ensnaring (Hasty) Devouring robs God. 26. Scattered Wickedness is run over. 27. The Candle-like Spirit (Conscience) reaches within. 28. Patient Mercy and Truth rule best. 29. Happy Youth and Age rival. 30. Painful Inflammation is reduced. XXI. 1. Every River runs as directed. 2, 3. The Heavy Lead—plummet—rectifies. 26. The Plenteous Earth returns (repays) tillage. 7, 8. The Tell-tale Earth (Ground) reveals the tracks and way. 9, 19. The Domestic Air reverberates (rings, resounds). 10. An Evil Air rests on him. 11. The Teaching (Heeded) Stars restrain the wise. 12. The Trembling Earth rocks the house. 13. Deaf (Leaden) Skies (Stones) respond not. 14. Secret Gold rectifies (repays). 15, 18. Deeded Lands ransom. 16. Dead (Desert) Lands return nothing. 17, 20, 25. Neglected Land returns nothing. 21-23, 29-31. Directing Stars regulate the course. 24, 27, 28. Threatening Clouds restrain not the rash. XXII. 1. A Clean Doorplate reveals the name. 2. The Friendly Cup refreshes (renews friendship). 3. The Shrieking Shell (shot) rushes. 4. Peaceful (Earned) Money repays. 5. Fence Wire restrains forward cattle. 6. Trellis Wire raises the vine trainage. 7. Lent Money rules. 8. The Reap Hook repays. 9. Blessed Money is repaid (redoubled). 10. The Expelling Bayonet restores order. 11, 29. The Friendly Crown receives (recognizes, resorts to) him. 12. Preserving Spectacles restore (rest) the eyes. 13. Heavy Bars (Locks) restrain the lion. 14. The Heavy

Plummet reaches deep down. 15. A Metal Rod rams. 16, 22, 23. Oppressing Money is repaid. 17-19. Ear Trumpets reach down. 20, 21. Steel Pens record. 24, 25. The Ready Pistol ruins (rings out). 26, 27. Pledged Money ruins. 28. Iron Posts restrain the encroacher. XXIII. 1-3. 6-8, 20, 21, 29-35. Tempting Fruit is to be resisted. 4, 5. Feathery Seeds rise, as by wings. 9, 12-19, 22-28. The Paternal (Friendly, Tender) Birch restrains (repays). 10, 11. The Extreme (Inherited) Hedge restrains. XXIV. 1, 2. The Empty Chair reminds of your absence. 3, 4. Seasoned Timber retains its shape. 5, 6. A Heavy Cabinet retains the council, cabinet, papers. 7, 9. An Empty Box resembles a fool's head, (retains nothing). 8. An Evil Net ruins the deviser, 10-12. A Weak Staff renders no help. 13, 14. Sweet Sugar is relished. 15-18. A Treacherous Staff is risky. 19. 20. The Fretted Wick is raveled. 21, 22. The Secret (Meddled with) Box revealed too much. Pandora's. 23-26, 28, 29. The Equitable Bench renders just decisions. 27. Plenteous Timber is ready. 30-34. The Easy Chair (Tempting Bed) retards (rests, ruins). XXV. 1-7. The Searching Eye reaches far. 8-12. The Friendly Ear receives (retains) best. 13, 25. A Fleet Horse is ridden (runs, rushes, races) by messengers. 14. Deceived Eyes re-

member failing clouds. 15. A Pleasant Tongue restrains evil. 16, 27. The Retching Stomach rejects (refuses). 17. The Weary Ear refuses to listen longer to the bore. 18. The Perjured Tongue rends like a sword (rots). 19. A Fretting Tooth and Wrenched Foot rankle. 20. A Heavy Heart refuses to listen. 21, 22. The Unfeeling Turtle rouses (runs) only when coals of fire are heaped on its back. 23, 24. A Stern Face repels. 26. A Bending Lion reverses things. 28. Trespassing Cattle run over. XXVI. 1. Extra (Shelter) Sheds are required. 2. An Empty Aviary will remain so, if you wait for the birds to come. 3. The Neglected Stable raises trouble. 4-12. Plentiful Asylums are required for all the fools. 13-16. Sleeping Rooms retard (relax) such. 17-28. The Police Station receives such. XXVII. 1, 2. Superior Castile (Boston) reminds of boasting and pride. 3, 4. Weeping Bethlehem recalls (reminds of) cruel and envious Herod. 5, 6. Treacherous Gethsemane reminds of these ideas. 7-9. Sweet Eden reminds (recalls, rejoices). 10. Plenteous Egypt received the families of Jacob. The brother far off, Joseph. 11. Completing (Competing) Oxford, etc., raises the father's pride. 12. Secret Engedi received hiding David. 13. Unsuspecting Jericho received the spies, who pledged the strange woman. 14.

Early Billingsgate rouses (reminds of this). 15, 16. Wet Newfoundland rains. 17. Keen Sheffield reminds of sharp cutlery. 18. Pleasant Smyrna retails the finest figs. 19, 20. Clear Helicon reflects. 21. Smelting Colorado refines gold and silver, 22. Perpetual Bray remained the Vicar's. 23-27. Fleecy Australia reminds of flocks. XXVIII. Evil (Oppressive, Persecuting, Wretched) Saul, Exemplary (Persecuted) David, Wealthy Dives, and Begging Lazarus remind us of these. XXIX. 1. The Avenging Hangman ropes the neck. 2. The Dependent People rejoice. 3. Pleased Fathers rejoice and Spending Harlots ruin. 4. Venal Judges ruin (rob) a land. 5, 6. Treacherous Men ruin. 7. Helpful Men regard the poor. 8. Restless Citizens ruin a city. 9. Restless Men rage. 10. Detesting Men rage. 11. The Leaky Fool reveals (relates all, rattles on). 12. A Credulous Ruler receives everything as true. 13. The Meeting Men receive light. 14. The Stedfast King regards not persons. 15. The Neglected Child is ruined. 16. Increased Transgressors run out in the end. 17. The Corrected Son rests and rejoices the parents. 18. Perishing People require light. 19. The Corrected Servant remains the same (requires more than words). 20. The Impetuous Man rushes. 21. The Delicate Servant rises to sonship. 22. The Testy Man raises strife. 23. The Meek Man rises, in time. 24. A Thieving Partner regards not his own soul. 25. The Fearing Man risks more than others. 26. Seeking Favorites run after the ruler. 27. Detesting Men are reckoned according to the detested. XXX. 1-6. Confessed Ignorance recognizes itself (is respected). 7-9. A Special Boon is requested. (Earthly Vanity and Lies to be removed and a Convenient Sufficiency, Competence is requested.) 10. Servile Abuse is returned for your pains. 11, 17. Degenerate Ingratitude regards (remembers) not. 12. Degenerate Filthiness revolts. 13. Degenerate Pride raises the eyes. 14-16. Degenerate (Envious, Endless) Greed ravens. 18-20. Three Wonders require an explanation (run beyond me). 21-23. Three Disquietudes reverse order. 24-28. Exceeding (Creature) Wisdom is recommended. 29-31. Well (Impetuous) Going rushes. Evil Thought is to be restrained. 33. Fierce Strife is raised (roused, rages). XXXI. 1-7. Drinking (Limpid) Water is recommended. 8, 9. Vindicating Fire rescues (is recommended). 10-31. Priceless Rubies (Finest Gold) rivals not (reminds of such a woman).

ECCLESIASTES.

I. I-II. The Sun, Wind, and Rivers end not (encircle endlessly). 12-18. The Ledge is edged with sorrel. Knowledge increaseth sorrow. II. 1-12, 18-23. Cups, Tools, Crowns, and Trumpets end in vanity. 12-17. The Pen ends like the fool's bauble. 24-26. Cups and Dishes are to be enjoyed. III. 1-17. Crops (Fruits, Plants, etc.) are expected in season—a time for everything. 16-22. Grass was eaten by Nebuchadnezzar, "what befalleth the beast." IV. 1-3. The Yoke envies the Coffin. 4-6. Furniture is envied. 7, 8, 15, 16. Cradles empty themselves. 9-12. The Cord insures help. 13, 14. Books enumerate many such in history. V. 1-7. The Mouth (Tongue, Lips) expose (entangle). 8. The Eye (Eagle) eyes (is elevated, high). 9-20. The Mouth can eat only so much. VI. 1, 2, 7, 8. The Kitchen equalizes men. There all can only eat. 3-6, 9-12. The Tomb (Cemetery) ends all. VII. 1. Bethany embalms the good name of her with the precious ointment. 2-6. Cana and Bethany exemplified this. 7-10. Egypt exemplified this in the time of Moses. (Rome in the time of Nero.) 11-29. Ierusalem exhibited this in the time of Solomon.

VIII. Solomon experienced most of this. (Saul, David, Absalom, Pharaoh, Alexander, Belshazzar, etc., exemplified.) IX. 1-12. The Fatalists expect nothing. 7-9. The Epicure enjoys as he can. 10. The Worker ends at the grave. 13-18. The Seer expects ingratitude. X. 1-15. Wisdom excels folly. 16-19. Riot and Sloth eat up a land. 20. Secrets escape. XI. 1, 2. Waste Waters enrich. 3-6. Falling Rain—but not Watched Winds and Clouds—enrich. 7. 8. The Grateful Sun is enjoyed. 9, 10. Gay Skies endure not long. XII. 1-5. Shaky Bricks (Locks, Bolts) expect to fall soon. 6, 7. The Shattered Bowl and Pitcher end (emptied) all. 8-14. Fastened (Fastening) Nails insure (endure).

SONG OF SOLOMON.

I. The Star shines at night. Black but comely. Star of beauty. II. 1-3. Vases stand full of roses, lilies, and apple blossoms. 4-7. Flagons stay (support). 8-17. Springs—of metal—suggest the roe, hart, spring time, and fox-trap. III. Nightshade suggests search and protection. IV. The Palette and Easel stand ready, or helpless, before such a portrait. (Pictures show not such beauty.) V. Honey, Milk, Mouths, Dove, Locks, Feet, Hands, Head, Eyes, Legs seem (are shown, said to be) like. VI. Stairs slope down into the garden and Barracks (Battlements, Walls) shelter (shield) armies. 8, 9. Harems Shelter. VII. 1-9. Greece Sculptured bodily beauty, and Heshbon, Bath-Rabbim, Lebanon, and Carmel suggested comparison. 10-13. Eden suggests such a going forth. VIII. Juliet suggests (showed) such youthfulness and constancy.

ISAIAH.

I. 1-4. The Heavens and Earth are invoked. 5-9. The Country was invaded. 10-15. Moons illuminate not the soul. 16-20. Water and Snow illustrated what was needed. 21-31. Dross, Silver, Tin, and Fire illustrate purification. II. 1-3. Magnets incline (induce). 4. Swords, Plowshares, Spears, and Pruning-hooks are to be interchanged. 5. Lamps illuminate. 6-9. Money, Bits, and Chariots had been introduced. 10-22. Picks (Drills) are inserted in rocky holes, ragged rocks, towers and walls. Axes are imbedded in lofty cedars and oaks, and Idols of silver and gold are to be interdicted. III. 1-8. The Trees-of Jothan-illustrate this. See Jud. ix: 7-15. 9-11. Apples of Sodom are indicated in their countenances. 12-15. Vineyards were invaded by the rich (should be inviolate). 16-26. Venus's Looking-glass (Venus's fly-trap) inveigles (invites) insects. IV. 1. Bread and Linen are not included. 2-6. The Picture inspires hope. V. 1-7. Beasts invade abandoned vineyards. 8-10. Game was introduced (imported). Lands of peasantry depopulated for hunting purposes, e.g., Wm. Rufus, Scotch Crofters. 11-15, 22. Beasts are imi-

tated. 16, 17. Lambs are innocent (inviolate). 18, 19. Oxen illustrate such. 20, 21, 23. Owls, Bats, and Wolves illustrate such. 24, 25. Carcasses infect streets. 26-30. Horses and Lions shall invade. VI. The Throne and Temple inspired and invested him with his mission. VII. 1-9. Samaria and Damascus invade. 10-16. Virginia includes "virgin." 17-25. Assyria shall invade. VIII. 1-4. Maher-shalal-hash-baz indicates the rushing invasion. 5-8. The Israelites are to be inundated with Assyrians. 9-18. Isaiah is instructed and will instruct. 19-22. Saul is imitated by some who seek familiar spirits. But Isaiah insists on the Law and the testimony. IX. 1-7. The Child, Counsellor, Father, Prince, indicate (intimate) the Savior. 8-12. The Rebuilders are infatuated. 13-17. The People and Leaders are incorrigible (irreclaimable). 18-21. Firemen and Fasters are involved in the calamity. X. 1-4. Tyranny shall inherit desolation. 5-19. The Instrumentality ignores the divine purpose. 20-23. The Remnant is not included. But a Consummation is intended. 24-34. Changes are intended (intimated). XI. 1-9. A Messianic (Happy) Land is indicated. 10-16. Many (Various) Lands shall be ingathered (inclined, induced). XII. Salvation Pitchers invite (incite) (Chain Pump). XIII. The Tall (Far,

Dark) Forests shall invade. Northeastern invaders of Babylon. XIV. 1-28. The Fallen (Departed, Changed) Yoke (Staff) is iterated here. The Fallen -Lucifer-Match ignites. 29-32. The Palestine (Fallen) Rod includes another sprout, shoot. XV. The Bald Eagle inhabits the mountainous Moab Bawling. "Howl, baldness, weeping, cry." XVI. 1-4. A Prepared Sanctuary invites. 5. An Established Throne is intended. 6-14. A Shattered Monastery (Abbey) Moab, incites pity. XVII. 1-11. Taken (Fallen, Forsaken) Samaria and Damascus are intended for invasion, punishment. 12-14. The Raging (Invading) Atlantic illustrates the enemies of Israel. XVIII. The Shadowed (Darkened) Ethiopians are to be included. XIX. 1, 2. Warring (Wrangling) Neighbors invite invasion. 3. Vain Charmers and Wizards inveigle. 4. Raging Kings are implacable. 5-10. Languishing Fishers and Flax Workers shall be injured (indigent). 11-14. Crazy (Addled) Princes invite invasion. 15-17. The Shaky (Quaking) People are impotent. 18-22. A Saved People invite (incite) praise. 23-25. Neighborly People invite one another. XX. The Shameful (Tartan, Sargon) Captivity was indecent (immodest, indelicate). XXI. 1-4. The Desert (Terrible, Besieged) Land is invaded. 5-12. The Early (Eastern) Star informs the watchman,

(indicates the coming morn). 13-17. The Desert (Tema, Kedar) Land is intended for (included in) the destruction. XXII. 1-7. Persian (Elam) Arms invade. 8. Ready Arms are inspected. 9-12. The Leveling Pick (Shovel) irrigates. 13, 14. Epicurean Dishes incapacitate. 15-19. Steel Drills incise the Stone, and Leaden Balls impinge. 20-25. The Heavy Key (Nails, Vessels) is imposed—"laid on." XXIII. Sea Weeds may indicate Tyre. Seaport. XXIV. 1-12. Empty (Desolate, Deserted) Desks (Pews, Tables, Dressers, Counters) indicate (illustrate) the judgment on the land. 13. The Gleaning Basket illustrates. 14, 15. Cheering Sails incite (inspire) hope. 16-23. Treacherous Deals (Boards) inclose the pit. XXV. 1-5. Sheltered Sheep are insured (inviolate). 6. Feasting Mouths are invited. 7, 8. The Concealed (Weeping) Face incites curiosity, sympathy. 9-12. The Resting and Spreading Hand is imposed. XXVI. 1-4. Entering Gates (Protecting, Eternal, Walls and Bulwarks) inspire (insure) confidence. 5, 6. Overwhelmed Cities involve great calamity. 7-11. The Supreme Court includes other rooms. 12-14. Peace Monuments immortalize the peace-makers. 15-18. Special (Female) Wards are isolated. 19. The Dead House is isolated. 20, 21. The Secret Chamber is isolated. XXVII. 1-11. Preserved Canaan is

indicated. 12, 13. Beaten Egypt and Assyria are indicated. XXVIII. 1-4, 7, 8. Inebriate Ephraim is incapacitated. 5, 6. The Sceptered Lord God interposes. 9-13. Unteachable Ephraim indolent (incorrigible). 14-22. Hell-bound Ephraim is incorrigible. 16. Steadfast (Remembered) Peter illustrated. 23-29. Intelligent (Discreet) Hodge (Rusticus) illustrates God's discreet providence. XXIX. 1-6. A Real—Ariel—Citizen— City—is interested in the fate of his city. (Degenerate Citizens, "where David dwelt," are involved in its destruction.) 7, 8. Dreamy enemies idle. 9-12. Sleepy Readers (Prophets, Rulers, Seers) idle. 13-17. Deceptive Counselors imitate the ostrich. 18. The Hearing Deaf and the Seeing Blind invert the usual order. 19. The Meek Poor shall increase their joy. 20. The Terrified Scorner insults no more. 21. The Pretended Offender is innocent. 22-24. Corrected Children are instructed. XXX. 1-17. Rebellious Counsel and Deceitful Trust involve ruin. 18-22. Merciful Patience inspires hope (inclines to bless, inheres in the Deity). 23-26. The Plentiful Promise incites to hope and obedience. 27-33. Heavy Indignation inflames. XXXI. 1-7. The Egyptian Land infatuates some (is impotent). 8-9. The Assyrian Land is impotent. XXXII. 1. The Righteous Scepter (Crown) is inherited.

2. The Drinking Cup invites. 3. Dim Glasses intercept (interfere). 4. Artificial Teeth (Silver Palates) interfere. 5-8. Liberal (Silver, Vile) Money is invested. 9-11. Pin Money (Fine Needles) idle. 12-14. Briar Hooks and Ass Bits are idle. 15. High Tubes irrigate. 16-19. Big Locks insure. 20. Wide Plowshares insure some crops. XXXIII. 1. The Highland Thistle is intangible. Scotch Motto. 2. The Bright Morningglory invokes (inclines to) the Sun. 3, 4. Stripped Leaves injure the plants. 5, 10. High (Filled) Trees incline. 6. Silvery Sage intimates wisdom and stability. 7. The Lithe Willow intimates crying, weeping. 8, 9. Smitten (withered) Roses (Trees, Fruit) indicate a drought. 11, 12, 14, 15. Dry (Fired) Stubble (Thorns) ignites. 13. A Mighty Tree insures shelter. 16-24. High (River, Inland) Trees insure a far view and safe, healthful harbor. XXXIV. 1-10. A Frightful Picture illustrates and Lighted Pitch illuminates it. 11-17. Wild Nests inhabit it. XXXV. 1, 2. Singing Birds inhabit. 3, 4. Slim (Debilitated) Hands and Knees are invigorated. 5. Blind Eyes inspect. 6, 10. Limping Legs and Singing Tongues are invigorated. 7. Thirsty Dragons imbibe. 8, 9. Highway Beasts (Cattle) are impounded. XXXVI. The City Walls were insulted (intimidated). XXXVII. Delivered Jerusalem illustrated the Divine power. XXXVIII. Sick Hezekiah invoked (implored) for life. XXXIX. The Visiting Foreigners (Messengers) inspected everything. (The Wise Prophet inquired about it.) XL. 1, 2. Divine Comfort is insured (inspires). 3-8. A Wild (Wilderness) Cry issues from the wilderness. 9-11. The Lifted Voice indicates good tidings. 12-31. The Divine Attributes are impressed (inquired about). 18-20. Silly (Ridiculous) Idolatry is illustrated. 28-31. Divine Sustenance invigorates. XLI. 1-5. The Lonely Islands were invoked (invited). 6-9. The Soldered (Smoothed) Gold illustrates. 10-14. The Solid Rock insures protection. 15, 16. The Solid Mountains are not immovable. 17-20. Open (Flowing) Rivers (Springs) invite. 21-29. Astrological (Prognosticating) Stars indicate nothing. 25. Potter's Clay illustrates. XLII. 1-4. The Loud Bell (Trumpet) invites (impels) attention. The Smoking Lamp illuminates little. 5-8. The Chosen (Holy) Lamp illumes the blind and the prisoners. (Broken Keys, Chains, and Images illustrate.) 9. The Opening (Unclosing, Clock) Springs impel the works. (Pointing Hands—of clock—indicate.) 10-15. Loud Trumpets inform of the coming. 16, 18-20. The Holy Lamp will induct (illume, irradiate).

17. Molten Images insult. 21-25. Robber's' Tools impoverished them. XLIII. 1-7. Bought (Choice) Plants interest (are inviolate). 8-21. Old Trees identify the place of old events. 22-28. Bought (Offered) Cane increases in sweetness. XLIV. 1-4. Wooden Vessels (Choice, Log Troughs) inundate. 5. The Roll Book includes (inscribes) his name. 6-8. Old Books identify (interest, improve). 9-20. Wooden Idols insult common sense. 21. Forgotten Books interest not. 22. Blotting Books ink not. 23. Song Books improve the singing. 24, 25. Foolish Books insult the intelligence. 26-28. Order Books insure the fulfilment. XLV. 1-4, 12-16. The Chosen (Solar) Lion is empowered. The Persian flag is a lion and sun. Cyrus means sun. 5-12. The Forming Hands of Deity were ignored. (Poor, Foolish, Formed Creatures ignore.) 17-25. The Lofty (Looked at, Holy) Serpent illustrated (invites). Num. xxi: 7-9. XLVI. 1, 2. The Loaden (Bowed, Low) Carriages were impotent. 3, 4. The Old Home (House) invites. 5-7. Joss Houses insult common sense. 8-11. Old Monuments immortalize (are inscribed, interest). 12, 13. Approaching Cars inform us if we hearken. XLVII. Proud (Woman figured) Babylon and Chaldea are insulted (impotent). XLVIII. Obstinate Israel and Jacob are implored (ignore the prophecies). XLIX. 1-7. The Chosen Servant was empowered (invested). 8. The Chosen Servant inherits. 9. Forgotten Prisoners issue forth. 10-12. Prosperous Travelers immigrate. 13. The Holy Comforter inspires praise. 14-17. The Unforgotten Child is inscribed on the palms of His hands. 18. The Clothed Bride illustrates. 19-22. Promised (More) Children increase. 23. Royal Nurses incline, bow down. 24-26. The Promised Deliverer (Savior, Redeemer) will invert their positions. L. 1. Their Mother's Divorcement issued from themselves. 2, 3. No Answer? No Power? is inquired about. 4. Holy Learning inspires. 5, 6. Gross Abuse insults. 7-11. Holy Help and Stony Firmness indurates (inspires). LI. 1, 2. The True (Dug) Rock is ignored. 3. The Ugly Desert will be improved. 4. A Judged Land improves (is insured). 5. Trusting Isles incline to wait. 6, 12, 13, 16. The Upper Heavens and the Under Earth include all. 7, 8. The Corrupting Earth shall inclose them. 9, 10. Muddy Seas impede passage. 11. A Jubilant Land inspirits all. 14. The Muddy Pit imprisons. 15. The Rugged Sea is impotent. 17-23. The Furious (Drunk, Drugged, Turbid) Waters shall issue against the oppressors. LII. 1. Put-on Jewels indi-

cate rejoicing. 2, 4-6. Rough (Cruel) Chains increase bondage. 3. Useless Money is invested. 7-10. The Jubilant Trumpet indicates good tidings. II. Communion Vessels are to be immaculate (inclosed, isolated). 12. Full Armor insures protection. 13-15. The Cruel Nails and Spears impress this passage. LIII. 1-3. The Humble Plant invites (interests) not. 4-12. The Bruised (Crushed) Passion-Flower and Cruel Tree identify this passage. LIV. 1-10. Full Cradles are increased (Numerous Cradles indicate more children). 2. Fuller Tents (Curtains) and Further Cords and Stakes increase the capacity. 11. Usual Oars (Rudders) are impotent when tossed with tempest. 11-14. A Beautiful Picture interests (inspires). 15-17. An Unstrung Bow is impotent (idle). LV. 1-5, 8-11. Sultry and Hungry Mouths are invited. 6, 7. Hunted (Returning) Sheep are invited. 12, 13. Jubilant Hearts shall issue, "go out with joy." LVI. 1, 2. The Justice Office should insure judgment and Sabbath Laws. 3-5. Eunuch Houses are insured. 6-8. Union Tabernacles include (invite) strangers and outcasts. 9, 10. Dumb, Slumbering Kennels invite beasts (incur danger). 11, 12. Drunken Ranches incur risk. LVII. 1, 2. The Beautiful Beulah invites (inspirits). 3-12. Polluted (Disgusting) Hinnom inflames the heart. 13-18.

Pure Heaven and Humbled Zion is inhabited by God. 19-21. The Troubled Atlantic (Muddy Ganges) are incessant. LVIII. Trumpeting, Reproving and Encouraging Isaiah impeaches (indicts) and implores. LXIX. 1-15. Cruel (Unruly, Truthless, Cunning) Transgressors are indicted (impeached). 16-19. Just Intercessor and Furious Adversary interchange (interfere). 20, 21. The Future Redeemer is indicated. LX. 1, 2. Refulgent Glory invites to arise. 3-18. Jubilant (Union) Meetings and Abundant (Full) Offerings will be ingathered. 19-22. Enduring Glory is insured.

[Rule for Numbers above 60: A second adjective or an adverb adds 50.]

LXI. 1-4. A Gladdened Mourning Land inverts conditions. 5-11. Gladdened Gentile Lands are included. LXII. 1, 2. The Great (Salvation, Incessant) Lamp illumes. 3. A Handed Royal Crown (Diadem) is imposed (imparted, inherited). 4, 5. Married Hand (Land) Rings invest with all. 6, 7. The Always Ready Trumpet intercedes (is incessant). 8, 9. Strange Drinking Cups are interdicted. 10-12. Hastening Highway Spades issue forth (invade). LXIII. 1-6. Garment-Staining Grapes incite inquiry: "Who?" 7-19. The Ancient (Transplanted) Vine incites pity. LXIV. 1. The Franklin Electric Kite inducted lightning

down, 2. Water Boiling Wood inflames (ignites). 3-5. The Ancient Memorandum Book is inscribed. 6-8. A Faded Cotton Veil indicates decay. 9-12. Sad Waste Pictures incite compassion. LXV. 1, 2. Always Outspreading Hands implore (impart). 3. The Always Angry Face indicates (inspires, incites) provocation. 4. Grave-Feeding Swine incite disgust. 5. Stand-off Holier Noses irritate. 6, 7. Paid-Back Bosoms inherit their iniquities. 8-10. A Partly Saved Herd (Flock) includes the elect. 11. The Black Troop Horses ignored the master. 12. Slaughtered Dumb Brutes are innocent-not you. 13. Careless, Famishing Mouths inherit their neglect. 14. Raging, Envious Hearts are inflamed. 15, 16. Remaining, Swearing Mouths are interchanged. 17-19. Favored Rejoicing Mouths will be incessant. 20. Aged Infant Bodies increase. 21-24. Answering Eating Mouths shall inhabit. 25. Amiable Wild Animals inhabit the holy mountains. LXVI. 1, 2. A Small if Contrite Temple invites (will be inhabited by) the Lord. 3, 4. A Pagan Slaughter House is imitated by them. 5, 6. The Regained, Reclaimed Temple and City will invite (induct, install) them again. 7-13. The Greatly Favored Nursery will increase. 14-17. The Slaughtered Pagan (Sacked) City is ignited. 18-21. A Great Metropolitan City ingathers from all directions. 22, 23. The Always Crowded Temple invites (ingathers). 24. The Transgressor's Dead (Pest) House shall be inspected. "Look upon the carcases" (infects).

JEREMIAH.

S begins the book words for Jeremiah, the sad, sorrowful, sighing, suffering prophet.

I. Mire settles (stiffens, solidifies, softens). Here Jeremiah is made firm for his mission. II. 1, 2. Rings seal (signify, symbolize) love and espousals. Bells sound (symbolized, signified) holiness unto the Lord. Zech. xiv: 20. 4-8. The Compass shows the way to walk. 9-11. Change—small coins—saves time, trouble, money. 12, 13. Cisterns supply water. 14. Chains secured slaves at home. 15. Guns shoot lions. 16. Crowns shine, sometimes are shattered. 17-19. Cups spill (satisfied not in this case). 20. Bands were severed. 21. Spades shovel (shovels spade) Plant. 22, 23. Basins splash, wash, polluted. 24. Bits stop (steer, steady) asses. 25. Shoes save horses' feet. 26, 27. Lanterns show (shame) thieves. 28-30. Swords smite. 31-35. Jewelry shines (shows). 36, 37. A Compass shows the change of way. III. Horehound sounds shameful, and slips are set out. Backsliding. IV. 1, 2. Turnstiles shut of themselves. 3. Plowshares stir up fallow ground. 4. Fuel supplies the fire. 5, 6. Standards are set up. 7-13. Panoramas show a succession of things.

14. Tubs spill. 15-18. Papers (Posters, Bills) show, publish. 19. Opium soothes the bowels. 20. Tents are spoiled. 21. Standards are seen. 22. The Rod starts (stirs up, stimulates) the foolish. 23-28. Pictures show such views in nature. 29. Bows shoot. 30-31. Linen stretches (supplies, suffices). V. 1, 2. Dogs seek (scout). 3. Eyes see, Faces are set. 4. Asses stop (stumble, stall, are stupid, stubborn). 5. Oxen stall. 6. Lions and Wolves slay (spoil). 7-9. Horses shame. 10-12. Foxes (Opossums) sneak (simulate). 13. Geese s-s-s. 14. The Mouth slays (swallows) fire, dragons. 15-19. Wolves slaughter (slay, seek, steal). 20, 21. Eyes see not. 22. Fish swim in the sea. 23, 24. The Heart says not. 25-26. Animals are snared. 27. Birds sing. 28, 29. Cattle shine. 30, 31. Monsters startle. VI. 1. Cities signal. 2, 3. Walls shelter (shade). 4. Towers stand. 5. Palaces save not. 6. Walls are surmounted by mounts. 7. Sewers send out. 8. The City is shown, instructed. 9-11. Towers signal, give warning. 12. Houses are seized. 13. Banks secure (steal). 14. The Hall sounds with "Peace! Peace!" Brothels shame a city. 16. Roads are safe (secure). 17. Towers signal. 18-24. Ships sail. 25. Roads are shunned (not safe). 26. Kitchens smoke (smell, smut, soil), wallow in ashes. 27.

Tower and Fortress are set. 28-30. Foundries smolder (smut, smell). VII. Jerusalem, Shiloh, Tophet, and Hinnom are sentenced. VIII. 1-3. Bonaparte spared not, bones. 4, 5. Peter slipped (slid back). 6. Judas sought not repentance. 7. The Jews were stolid (stupid). 8, 9. Wiseman sought authority in Rome. The Cardinal. 10. Shylock seeks more. 11. Fox—the Quaker—sought peace. 12, 13. Goths show no shame (shame not). 14. Stillwell sits. 15-17. Goths (Scythians) scour (scourge, swoop down). 18, 19. Faintheart sighs. 20. Pomona sighs. 21, 22. Galen sighs. IX. Weepers sigh. Wayfarers and Lodgers sojourn. Supplanters supplant. Wailers and Women shout (shriek). X. 1-9, 14. Paganism shams (shames). 10-13. Omnipotence subdues (shapes, shows). 15. Vanity swells (satisfies not). 16. The Portion simulates not. 17, 18. Distress will seize. 19-21. Wo, Hurt, and Brutishness sadden (spoil). 22. Bruit sounds. 23. Direction shows (is shown). 24. Correction saves. 25. Fury seizes (shouts). XI. The Relapsed (Ungrateful, Paganizing, Balaamite, Chastened) Land is smitten. XII. 1, 2. The Planting Spade sinks (stirs). 3, 4. The Slaughtering Knife stabs. 5, 6. The Racing (Straining, Reining) Bit subdues. 7-13. The Ravaging Sword slavs. 14-17. The

Snatching Hook saves, plucked out. XIII. 1-13. Blazed (Barked, Banded, girdled) Trees show the way. 12-14. Grape Vines supply the wine. 15-16. Dark Forests shadow. 17-21. Captive Willows sympathize. 20. Radiant Phlox shines. African (Native) Trees (Bark) shed. XIV. Famine Bread is scant. XV. 1-8. Tearing Dogs and Various Beasts are sent (slay, snap). 9. The Hasty Owls shun the sun, wishes it were gone down while it is yet day. 10. Bearing (Unhappy) Arms sustain, bear. 11-14. Bare Arms are shackled with iron and steel. 15-18. The Tasting Mouth is satisfied. 19-24. The Same Mouth speaks for both. XVI. 1-9. The Sad and Glad House is shunned. 10-13. The Forsaken Temple is shunned. 14, 15. Various (Palestine) Roads will be sought. 16. Sail (Whale) Boats will sail (be sent). 16-18. The Game Market (Lodge) is stocked, hunters, carcases, 19-21. A Safe Fortress is sought (secure). XVII. 1-4. Pagan Judea will be spoiled. 5, 6. Parched Sahara is salted, flesh, salt. 7, 8. Shady Jordan supplies (supports, sustains). 9, 10. The Awful Hartz are shadowed, with dark woods and clouds, heart. 11. Gambling Monte Carlo sinks (sucks in) its victims. 12, 13. Forsaken Judea shames. 14. Praying Judea will be saved. 15-18. Dismayed Judea seeks the word of the

Lord. 19-27. Gated Jerusalem is shut on the Sabbath. XVIII. 1-10. Patient Palissy succeeded. The celebrated potter. 11-17. Warned (but Irreclaimable) Israel is scattered. 18-23. Hated Jeremiah is schemed against (to be smitten, seeks recompense). XIX. The Ancient (Didactic) Potter (Priest, People, Toper) shatters the bottle. XX. 1-6. Passionate Treatment (Feelings) smite. Pashur. 7, 8. Daily Derision spurns (shames). 9. Impatient Words (Forbearing) is shut up (searches). 10. Watched Halting is seen (sought). 11. Great Shame (Everlasting Confusion) seizes (stumbles). 12. Impatient Vengeance is seen (sought). 13. Praised Deliverance is sung. 14-18. Rash (Ungrateful) Cursing shocks. XXI. Threatened (Impenitent, Condemned) Lands suffer (are subdued). XXII. 1-9. Plentiful Scepters (Crowns, Bits) are stored for the obedient. 10-12. Emigrant Compasses show (steer). 13. 14. Cheap Tools save little, 15-17. Oppressive Scepters slay the innocent. 18, 19. The Sexton's Spade is saved the trouble. 20-23. The Unheeded Trumpet sounds. 24-30. The Precious Signet (Ring) is spurned (slung away, sacrificed). XXIII. 1-4. Clean (Fresh, Sheep's) Grass is secured. 5-8. The Heavenly Branch will spring (succeed). 9-40. Prophetic Hellebore swells

(slays). XXIV. Prophetic Baskets separate (sort). XXV. 1-6. Early Birds sing. 6, 7. Deaf Ears stop. 8-14. Seventy Ears sounds like seventy years. (Suffice, seal). 15-33. Every Mouth shall swallow. 34-38. Dispersed Flocks are slaughtered. XXVI. 1-9. The Temple (speaking) Court surrounds (sounds). 8, 9. Desolate Houses are solitary (stand alone). 10. The Entrance Gate seated the princes. 11-24. The Threatened City is stirred up. XXVII. Bending (Oppressive) Babylon will seize. XXVIII. Bending Nebuchadnezzar will succeed. Deceived Hananiah is silenced. XXIX. Peaceful (Restless) Captives must stay (submit). False Prophets must be stopped (silenced). XXX. A Merciful Restoration will settle them. XXXI. The Delivered (Revived) Land will be settled. XXXII. The Righteous (Rigorous) Chains will be stricken off afterward. XXXIII. The Revived Plants spring up. Bridal Blossoms smell (symbolize). A Righteous Branch will spring up. XXXIV. The Wicked Yoke stays, bond-servant, held. XXXV. Drinking (Swinish) Beasts swallow (swill, soak, suck, sink). XXXVI. The Higher Court surrounded. The Scribe's Chamber is situated. The Winter House shelters. XXXVII. Impotent Egypt sallied out. XXXVIII. Miry Jeremiah sank. Inquiring Zede-

kiah seeks light (swears to save Jeremiah). XXXIX. 1-4. The Sitting Princes are seen. 4, 5. The Midnight (Night) Fugitives were seized. 6, 7. The Eyeless King was sent to Babylon. 8-10. The King's Captain spared the poor. 11-14. The Delivered (Liberated) Prophet was sent home. 15-18. The Kind Eunuch was secured. XL. Kind Treatment (Liberty) was shown. Wise Advice saves many. The Vile Conspiracy was seen (scouted). XLI. The Whole (Horrified) Land was stunned (shocked). XLII. The Babylonian (Long) Sword stretched even to Egypt. XLIII. A Poor Tree—shadow of Egypt—shades little. XLV. The Woful (Sorrowful) Bear-Baruch-sighs (sorrows). XLVI. Hopeless Armories and Forts are swept away. XLVII. Coast Palestine and Spoiled Philistia is swallowed up. XLVIII. Lofty (Broken, Confounded, Destroyed, Shouting) Moabites to be spoiled. XLIX. The Woful Inhabitants are spoiled (sickened). No Sons (Heirs) are seen. Howling Daughters (Destroying Thieves, Poor Widows, Sorrowful Seamen, etc.) are seen. L. Babylonian Desolation is sounded (signaled). LI. The Cursed Land is sentenced. A Furious Wind sweeps. Burnt Mountains Smolder. Dusty Springs (Seas) sink. LII. 1-7. Hurrying (Fugitive, Burning) Lamps-flight by night-smoke. 8.

Pursuing Arms seize. 9–11. Burning Irons scorch (sear, shrivel). 12–23. Numerous Brasses (Snuffers, Bowls, Spoons, Basins, Candlesticks, etc.) were seized (secured). 24–27. The Executioner's Sword smote. 28–30. Numerous Shackles secure. 31–34. Unused Shackles were sent away (set aside). 34. Sumptuous Dishes were supplied.

LAMENTATIONS.

I. The Province (Desert) Laments (is left solitary). Straits lead from one sea to another. Passes Lead (are left) all ye that pass. II. The Ax (Crowbar, Sword) has laid low her habitations, strongholds, altar, sanctuary, walls, palaces, bars, virgins, and young men. 18, 19. Pitchers leak. III. 1-21, 43-47. The Hedge, Arrow-root, and Wormwood lacerate. 22-42, 55-66. Violets and Daisies lie low and look up. 48-54. Moss and Waterwort are laved with trickling and overflowing water. IV. 1-12. Bread was lacking and the Rod was laid on. 13-20. The Ephods were lost. 21-22. Their Map lies next; their turn next. V. The Hand is laid on us. The Neck is laid low. 10. The Skin looks like the raven. 14-18. The Hearts Languish (laugh not).

EZEKIEL.

I. The River (Heavens, Whirlwind, Fire, Lightning, Crystal, Firmament, Water, Rain, Clouds, etc.) extend (expand, embrace, exhibit). II. The Trumpet (Megaphone) echoes (encourages). III. 1-3. The Honeysuckle exhales. 4-11. The Planetree explains, Lignum Vitæ endures. 12-14. Woods echo. 15-21. Hellebore (Poison-oak, Henbane) envenom. 22-27. The Plane-tree (Palm) expands, plain. IV. 1-3. A Model explains (exhibits). 4-8. A Bed extends (enervates, eases). 9-17. Bread is eaten (enough). V. 1-4. Hair (Head, Beard) is electrified. 5-17. Wolves and Beasts eat. VI. 1-7. Altars (Dwellings) are ended (exterminated). 8-10. Sanctuaries (Penitentiaries) are entered. 11-14. Morgues exhibit the dead. VII. Palestine, like Gomorrah, will end. VIII. Cicero, cicerone (Barnum, Cook) exhibits (explains). Writers indite and Slaughterers execute. X. Symbolism (Allegory, Spectacula) exhibits (explains). XI. 1-12. Scalding Water evaporates. 13-18. The Safe (Sanctuary) Land escapes. 19-21. Hard Stone endures. 22, 23. Standing Mountains elevate (endure). 24, 25.

The Captive Land is exhibited in vision. XII. 1-16. Wall Picks enter and Captive (Carried) Crockery (Plate) is emptied. 17-20. Quaking Cups (Dishes) shake (are shattered). 21-28. Alarm Clocks echo (insure waking). XIII. 1-9. Gappy Hedges embolden (entice) foxes. 10-15. Wall Fruit (Flowers) are endangered. 16, 17. False Olives ensnare, peace. 18-23. Catching (Scratching, Tearing) Thorns entangle (ensnare). 22. Sad Willows enfeeble (enervate). XIV. 1-11. Pagan (Carved) Books (Idols) are elevated, set up. 12, 13. Staple Bread is endangered. 14-23. Ancient Triptyches were erected (elevated to exhibit, enroll, saints). XV. The Pauline Viper envenomed not. Acts xxviii. XVI. 1-9. Charity (Alms) Houses (Schools) educate such infants. 10-14. Gay Palaces enervate. 15-63. Bawdy (Shameful, Disgraceful) Houses entice reprobates. XVII. Tall Lebanon (Captive Jerusalem, Transplanting Babylon) will engraft. XVIII. Aged Eli erred. Impartial Brutus-L. Juniusenforced the law. XIX. The Waiting (Ravaging, Patient) Mother educated. The Ravaging Princes were entrapped. XX. 1-26. Lasting Rebellion ends in. 27-49. Lasting Punishment ends lasting rebellion. XXI. The Pierced (Dissevered, Dissected) Lands are evacuated (evis-

cerated). 7. Weak Water enervates. XXII. 1-13. The Avenging Sword executes. 13-25. Metal Vessels are emptied. 26. Clean Vessels are expected in worship. 27. The Shedding Sword executes. 28. Untempered Mortar endangers. 29-31. The Hedge Knife evens. XXIII. Beastly (Obscene, offensive) Horehound is ejected. XXIV. 1-14. The Meat Bench is erected. The Heaped Wood is enkindled. 15-27. The Unwept Coffin encloses (ends). XXV. 1, 2. The Set Face is eager (earnest). 3, 4. Jeering Asses (Bleating Sheep) are expelled. 5. Sheltered (Fleeing) Flocks enter. 6, 7. Stretched Hands extend (express). 8-11. The Left open Side is emaciated. 12-17. The Stretched Hand expresses (is extended). XXVI. The Besieged City (Gates, Towers, Walls, Pleasant Houses) are emptied (ended). XXVII. Tyre is to be emptied (ended). XXVIII. Desolate Tyrians and Sidonians had been elated (elevated). XXIX. Exiled Khedives expect to return. XXX. Complete (Egypt's) Desolation ends her history. XXXI. Assyrian Waters engulf. XXXII. The Continuing (Killing, Assyrian) Sword exterminates. XXXIII. 1-9. High (Signal) Trees elevate for watching. 10-20. Trimmed Hedges equalize (even) the way. 21-29. Widening (Infringing) Weeds extend (exceed).

30-33. Astringent Lemons elevate the voice. XXXIV. Vile (Wicked, Sinful) Crooks—shepherd's -enslave. XXXV. The Invidious (Wicked) Eye of the seer. Seir, envied. XXXVI. Defiled (and Rebuilded) Cities (Houses) are encouraged. XXXVII. 1-14. Dry (Windy) Sheol (Orcus, Sahara) echoes. 15-28. United (Stick-like) Palestine is established. XXXVIII. Scythian (Riding) Gog emerges. XXXIX. 1-22. Busy Undertakers and Filthy Scavengers exert themselves. 23-29. The Divine (Israelitish) Restorer ends the captivity (encourages). XL. Continuous (Tireless) Measurements (Figurings, Estimates) extend (are explained). XLI. A Whole (Mountain, Stone) Ouarry is excavated. XLII. Robe Hooks for priest's vestments extend. XLIII. Holy (Royal) Morning Glory is exhibited. XLIV. Holy Ephods and Linen are enjoined (exacted), and No Wine is endured (expected). XLV. 1-8. No (Roving) Cattle are endured (escape). Lands marked out. 9-25. Holy Beasts, etc., are expected (executed). XLVI. Open Gates are entered. 19-24. Open (Four Boiling) Courts extend (are exhibited). XLVII. 1-12. Swollen Jordan expands (is exhibited). 13-23. Apportioned Palestine is entailed (extends, encompasses). XLVIII. Portioned Levi (Dan, Asher, Zadok, etc.) is endowed.

DANIEL.

I. The Sun, Moon and Stars—the highest study of the Chaldeans—were discredited as revelations by the wisdom of the three Hebrews. II. The Image was difficult (doubtful) to the astrologers, but was declared (described) by Daniel. III. The Golden rod was dedicated (decreed) but disdained by the three. IV. The Bed was disturbed (dreamy). The Stump descends to spring up again. V. Swine drink and the Hand descends (dooms, decrees) and is described by Daniel. VI. The Palace decreed, the Chamber had been dedicated to prayer by Daniel, and the Den was descended (Decreed, dangerless, defended). VII. Babylon (Greece, etc.) was doomed (and divided). VIII. Daniel dreamed and Gabriel declared. IX. The Intercessor (Confessor, Penitent) deprecated the just punishment. The Archangel delivered the decree. X. The Vision dismayed (depressed) and Comfort (Strength) descended. XI. Various Kingdoms (Territories) are divided (destroyed). XII. 1, 2. The Everlasting (Last) Trumpet will dismay (din, deafen). 3. Everlasting Jewels (Crowns) will delight (dazzle). 4. The Rapid (Magic, Hasty) Telegraph diffuses (delivers, dispatches). 5-13. The Everlasting Chronometer decrees.

HOSEA.

I. 1-9. Hornblende is heavy. 10, 11. Sand is heavy (heaped) measured, number. II. 1-13. Earrings (Jewels) hang (help, hide). 14-23. The Ring -marriage-holds him still. III. Hordeum (Horehound) heals. 2. Barley helps pay. IV. 1-11. Books are hated, hence lawlessness, etc. 12-14. Stocks (Staves, Incense) help not. 15-19. Ropes (Sails) hold. V. 1-5. Horses are held back, revolvers, whoredoms. 6-14. Flocks (Herds) hasten, for the Lion hunts (harries). 12, 13. Their Bodies are healed not. 15. Lambs are humbled. VI. 1, 2. Hospitals heal. 3. Schools help, if we follow on to know. 4-8. Their Houses (Cities) are hopeless. 9-11. The Roads are horrible. VII. Egypt and Assyria are hot countries. Baker, oven, heated, cake not turned, burneth, fire. VIII. Ephraim (Israel) hath hurled—cast away, and is cast off, hurled away. 7. Æolus howls. 9. Ephraim hath hired lovers. IX. 1-6. Vagrants hunger (hunt, haste away). 7-9. Prophets (Spiritualists, Madmen, Watchers, Fowlers) hate one another. 10. Pomologists hunt. 11-17. Nurses hold children. 15. Revolters hate. 17. Wanderers hearken not. X. Husbandry hardened. XI. Pagan Lands hold them, viz.: Egypt and Assyria. XII. 1, 2. A Flat Spoon he holds. 3-6. Grasping (Grappling) Hooks hold. 7-9. False Balances he holds. 10-14. Vain Gilt can hope nothing. Vain Gilead or Gilgal. XIII. 1-8. Tall Trees hold in the whirlwind and in escaping from wild beasts. 9-16. Ravaged (Saved) Plants are holpen. XIV. 1-3. Prayer Books hold words with which to turn to God. 4-7. Grateful Balm is hoped for. 8, 9. Discarded Idols are hooted.

JOEL.

I. The Soil is Juiceless. The Land is joyless. II. 1-11. Trumpets jar and Chariots jolt. 12-14. The Stiletto jabs. Needles join rents. 15-17. Trumpets jar. 18-27. Bells (Money, Cups, Platters) jingle. 28-32. The Bells should jubilate. Jars are jolted in pouring out. Jars of oil, unction. III. Lilies of the valley, and Multiflora are judged. Chosen, valley, multitudes, decision.

AMOS.

I. 1, 2. The Earth is agitated, earthquake. 3-15. Planets (Stars) are added. Three and four make seven. II. 1-8. Triangle-and Quadrant-the instruments—are added—3+4=7. 9-12. Cups addle (attract) not the Nazarites. 13-16. Arms alarm. III. The Forest is alarmed (aroused) by the lion. IV. 1-3. Yokes are arranged for (adjusted to) the kine. 4-13. Bread is asked. 12. A Letter alarms. V. 1-3. Birds are alarmed, fly out, and few return. 4-17. Cattle are astray. Seek, among houses, highways, vineyards, return. 18-20. Lions, Bears, and Serpents alarm (addle). 21-27. Nose and Ear ache. VI. 1-11. The Palace is awakened (alarmed, aroused). 12-14. The Road is asphalted. VII. 1-3. Grassmere is alarmed but amnestied. 4-6. Terra del Fuego approaches (advances into) the sea. Land of fire. 7-17. Bethel is amazed. Amaziah. VIII. 1-3. Amos is asked and answers. 4-10. Shylock is anxious. 11-14. Amos—and others—will absent themselves. IX. 1-4. Detectives arrest. 5, 6. Watermen are alarmed. The Destroyer announces. 11-15. Plowman, Reaper, Trader, and Sower amble.

OBADIAH.

The Mountains shall obey. Obed Edom.

JONAH.

I. The Sea is jeoparded. II. Cables join, submarine communication. III. Pennyroyal joins royal penitence reversed. IV. The Document from royal authority justifies a reprieve from death.

MICAH.

I. 1-9. Mountains (Valleys, Places) melt. 10-16. Lands mourn. II. 1, 2. Lamps are muffled. 3. Rings meet around the neck. 4-6. Dividers measure. 7-13. Keys matter not, when people are robbed of robes and garments, houses are broken up and gates passed through. III. 1-4. Herbs are minced. 5-7. Tulips should be muffled, two lips. 8-12. Roots are mangled (mashed) when places are plowed as a field. IV. 1, 2. Alpenstocks mount up. 3. Handles are matched (made). 4. Benches are moved. 5-7. Staves are mended. 8-10. Beds are moved. 11-13. Flails mangle (mash). V. 1. The Cheek is mashed. 2-4. The Midge is magnified. 5-15. The Lion mangles. VI. 1-5. The Chamber is measured for the controversy and things consulted. 6-9. The Bridge is measured, rivers, walk, rod. 10-16. The House is measured. VII. 1. Eshcol mourns. 2-4. Jerusalem machinates evil. 5-9. Jerusalem migrated to Gilead when David was betrayed, rejoiced over by his enemies, etc. 10-13. Jerusalem is mired. 14-20. Carmel, Bashan, Gilead, and Egypt marvel.

NAHUM.

I. Whirlwinds (Clouds, Seas, Rivers, Mountains, Fire, Rocks, Floods) notify of God's purpose and vengeance, and name His attribute of power. 15. The Mountains notify of the coming. II. 1, 2. Nails are needed when things are dashed to pieces. Chariots were noisy. 5-8. Trumpets notify to haste to the walls or flee away. 9, 10. Money is needed when silver and gold is taken away and the city is empty, spoiled, void and waste. 11-13. Swords and Chariots are needed amid lions, whelps, etc. III. I. The Bleeding-heart nods. 2. Weeds are noisome. noisy. 3. Copses is near to corpses in sound. 4-7. Horehound (Witch-hazel) is needed in some cases. 8-10. Poplars are numerous, populous. 11-19. Figs and Hedges are nibbled by cankerworms.

HABAKKUK.

I. 1-8. The Land is burdened and beset. 9-11. Dust and Sand is bitten by the victims. 12, 13. The Sand blinds. 14-17. The Sea benefits the fishermen. II. 1-4. The Heliograph beckons or sends back tidings from the besieged. Watch tower, see, answer, write, that he may rule that readeth, wait, live by faith. 5-8. The Cup bites the drunkard, and Money burns him that increaseth that which is not his. 9-14. The Stones betray or bear witness against such. 15-17. The Bottle besots (brutalizes). 18, 19. Images breathe not and should be broken. 20. The Bell bows the hearer in prayer, e. g., the Angelus and the altar bell at mass. III. Forests bow at the breath of God. 17-19. Trees blossom not. Crops are backward.

ZEPHANIAH.

I. 1-4. The Land is fired. 5, 6. Sun, Moon, and Stars are feared. 7, 8. The Land feasts. 9. Ground is fixed for leaping matches. 10. Hills are not fixed. 11. Silver is fetched by them that bear silver. 12, 13. Light ferrets out. 14-17. Clouds are feared. 18. Fire is feared. II. 1-3. The Compass finds. 4-7. Anchors fasten along the coast. 8, 9. Cellars—salt—are filled. 10, 11. The Compass finds isles of the heathen. 12. The Sword finishes the Ethiopians. 13-15. The Sword shall furnish a place for flocks, beasts, etc. III. 1-5. Woods are filled with roaring lions, evening wolves, and the unjust, e.g., robbers. 6-8. Weeds flourish in towers desolate, streets waste, cities destroyed, and dwellings cast off. 9-13. Lilies and Violets shall flourish, symbols of purity and humility. 14-20. The Gladiolus flourishes, gladness, joy, praise.

HAGGAI.

I. 1-11. The Country is gaunt and the Heavens glare. 7, 8. The Mountain goes into the building. 12-15. The Country to go to work. II. 1-9. Tools go to work and glorify God. 10-19. Basins go unused by the unclean. 20-23. Chariots go over, and Swords go at one another.

ZECHARIAH.

I. 1-6. Comets return. Turn ye. Do the Fathers and Prophets return? 7-11. The Bottom is ridden. The Earth rests. 12-21. Lands are rebuked, but their Land is restored. II. 1-5. The Chain reaches, surveyors' chains, measuring line. 6-13. The Telegraph reaches, spread abroad. Many nations shall be joined. III. 1, 2. The Nightshade resists. 3, 4. Hyssop rains. Sprinkling with hyssop, purification. 5-7. Miterwort rests upon his head. 8. The Branch rises. 9. Iris is removed. 10. Vine and Fig remain (rest). IV. 1-5. The Bedstand (Table) is ready when we are wakened out of sleep. Candlestick. 6-10. The Pulley raises what otherwise would be impossible, not by might nor by power. Bring forth the headstone, foundations. Small things equal great with a pulley. 11-14. Bedstands (Tables) rest (are ready for reading). V. 1-5. Parchment (the Raven) rises. 5-11. The Stork rises up between the earth and the heavens. VI. 1-8. The Stables resound with chariots and horses. 9-15. The Temple (Altar, Throne) is restored. VII. 1-7. In Babylon is requested a decision. 8-14. Jerusalem refused. VIII. 1-3. Othello raged with jealousy.

4-8. Methuselas will reside (remain), old men and women shall dwell. 9-12. Jews remain, residue, remnant. 13-15. The Lord repents. 16, 17. The Lord reproves. 18, 19. The Jews shall rejoice. 20-22. Egyptians and others repent. 23. Joseph ran, when Pharaoh's wife took hold of the skirt of him that was a Jew. IX. Coasters to be redeemed (repent). Tyre, Sidon, Ekron, Ashdod, Askalon, Gaza. 9. The King returns and rides. 10. Charioteer and Horsemen ride no more. 11. Prisoners are released. 12. Prisoners return. 13, 14. Bowmen are raised up. 15-17. Youths riot. X. 1. Asking is rewarded. 2. Vanity and Dreams ruin. 3. Anger rises. 3-12. Strength, Might, Mercy, and Joy are restored. XI. 1-3. The Raging Wind roars. 4-6. The Faithless Land is robbed. 7-11. The Faithless Land is rejected. 12-14. Cast Clay is repaid. 15-17. The Pastorless Land is rejected. XII. 1, 2. A Shaky Cup rattles. 3. Hard Drills rend stone. 4, 5. Hard Bits restrain. 6, 7. Hearth Fenders retain coals and sparks. 7-9. The Sacred Sword shall reserve a tenth. 10-14. Parting Bells resound (rouse the mourners). XIII. 1. Water Lilies reopen. 2-5. Shameless Jackin-the-pulpits are removed. 6. Handled Thorns rend. 7-9. Scattered Sheep-berries are refined. XIV. 1-3. Captured Boxes, etc., are rifled. 4, 5.

A Tall Stand (Foot-stool) remains (is ready, required) for that day. 6, 7. Lamp Stands are ready for light at evening time. 8. Water Troughs run summer and winter. 9-11. All Atlases (Maps) are to be rebound. All the earth, plain, etc. 12-15. Plague Tents shall be raised. 16-19. Tabernacle Seats are ready (raised). 20. Harness Pegs ring with bells. 21. Pantry Shelves are to be reverenced.

MALACHI.

I. 1, 2. Malachite lasts and is lordly when polished. 3-5. Mountains are laid waste. 6-14. Land is left to sons and servants that honor and fear. II. The Sun lightens the Gentiles and every place. II. 1-10. Chalice and Paten to be laid aside by unworthy priests. 7. The Chalice is lifted to priest's lips. 11-16. The Ring is lowered and laid aside. Marriage. 17. Type (Type writers) last. III. 1-5. Cumin is looked for. 3-5. Lilies are left, i. e., purity is left after reformation. 6. The Bush was left after the burning. Ex. III. 7. The Turnip leaves, turn. 8-12. Crops are laid by, and up and lost. 13-18. Forget-me-nots are lost and not lost. Stubble lights easily. 2, 3. Beds are left, at sunrise, and Ropes lead forth the calves from the stalls. 4. Books are to be learned. 5, 6. Turnstiles (Signboards) lead back home.

MATTHEW.

Nouns with any sound of a in the accented syllable indicate St. Matthew's Gospel.

Adjectives follow the general rule, a = 10, etc. The figures in parentheses refer to that number in the Harmony that follows the Gospels.

I. 1-17. Marble (Granite, Strata) for name, inscription, or succession. (3.) 13-25. Cave in which to "put away privily." (8.)

II. 1-12. Caskets usual for costly gifts. (13.) 13-15. Lamps flight by night. (13.) 16-18. Graves. (13.) 19-23. Hammers (Saws, etc.) (14.)

III. Cactus (Bramble) in wilderness. Ash, "hewn down and cast into the fire." (16.)

IV. 1-11. Cask (Barrel, Ale), Spirit, Temptation. (17.) 12, 13. Staff, Straw. (23.) 14-16. Chair, "sat," Stand for lamp. (26.) 17. Staff (Map). (31.) 18-20. Cast-net (Bassinet, Basket, Gasket). (27.) 21, 22. Rack (Frame) for nets. (27.) 23. Staff (Map). (31.) 24. Hammocks (Mattress, Pallets). 25. Staves.

V. 1-12. Bats beatitudes. 13-16. Cattle (Tallow, Mackerel). "Salt," "candle." (40.) (109.) 17-20. Parchment, for preserving laws, records, etc.

Better than paper. (40.) 21-26. Game (Animals) to kill. (40.) 27-32. Satyr. (40.) 30. Hand. (40.) 33-37. Hair (Hand). (40.) 38-42. Face (Jaw, Back). (40.) 43-48. Lambs. (40.)

VI. 1-4. Almonry. (40.) 5-15. Chapel. (40.) 16-18. Bakery (Market). (40.) 19-21. Bank (Garret). (40.) 22, 23. Catacomb. (40.) 24-34. Bazaar (Factory). (40.)

VII. 1-5. Babylon, where a Daniel came to judgment. "Judge not." (40.) 6. Gadara, where the swine perished. (40.) 7-12. Askalon, "Ask" (Para, pray). (40.) 13, 14. Gibraltar, strait (Aldgate, Margate). (40.) 15-20. Havana (Africa, etc.), fruit. (40.) 21-23. Willimantic, "will." Wayback, "never knew you." (40.) 24-29. Gibraltar (Sahara), rock and sand. (40.)

VIII. 1-4. Naaman, the Leper. (32.) 5-13. Naaman (Washington, Grant, Gehazi), soldier and servant, "Abraham." (41.) 14-15. Like Martha (Mary, Lazarus, Tabitha). 16. Galen, Father of the healing art. 17. Esaias. (29.) 18-20. Lazarus the beggar. (53.) 21, 22. Lazarus that was dead and buried. (53.) 23-27. Charon (Dante). (54.) 28-34. Gadarenes. (55.)

IX. 1-8. Bearers, Marvelers, Blasphemers. (33.) 9. Taxman. (34.) 10-13. Pharisees (Tramps). (56.) 14, 15. Fasters. (56.) 16. Tailors.

(56.) 17. Caterers. (56.) 18-26. Daughters. (57.) 27-31. Mates, Partners, Wailers, Proclaimers, Babblers. (58.) 32-34. Stammerers, Marvelers, Pharisees, Blasphemers, Slanderers. (59.) 35. Evangelist. 36. Philanthropist. 37, 38. Harvesters, Laborers. (61.)

X. 1. Arrangement (Calling). 2-4. Naming. (39.) 5-42. Starting, Dispatching, Warning, Attachment, Sacrifice, Gain, Charity. (37), (62), (109).

XI. Favored but Ungrateful Region. (43.) 28-30. Laboring Waves (Laden Air). (43.)

XII. 1-9. Sabbath (Blameless, Charity) Plates, collections taken up on Sabbath. (36.) 10-13. Hand Basin. (37.) 14-21. Brass Band. (Attractive, Talking, Drawing crowd Graphophone.) (38.) 22, 23. Ophthalmic Graphophone, blind and dumb. (46.) 24-37. Blasphemous (Hasty) Graver. Words deep and lasting in result. (46.) 38-42. Brass Plate sign. (47.) 43-45. Plate Glass (Garnished Brass). (47.) 46-50. Family Plate. (48.)

XIII. 1-23. Parable (Quack) Grass. (52.) 24-30. Parable (Gathered) Tares. (52.) 31, 32. The Largest (Greatest) Plant. (52.) 33. Bakers Plant. (52.) 34, 35. Parable Plants. (52.) 36-43. Parable (Gathered) Tares. (52.) 44-46. Flat (Packed, Matted, Patted) Grass "hid." (52.) 47-52. Handy (Matted, etc.) Grass on which to sit down and

sort fish, and on which to place household goods brought forth. (52.) 53-58. Family (Hayseed, Wayback) Laurels (Plants, Branches.) (60.)

XIV. 1-12. Ghastly Table. (63.) 13-21. Large (Great, Fragment, Charity) Baskets (Tables). (64.) 22-33. Darkened (Laboring, Breaking) Sails (Masts, Yards). (66.) 28-31. Grasped Straw proverb about the drowning man. (66.) 34-36. Gathered (Waiting) Hammocks (Mattresses). (62.) XV. 1-20. Washed Hands. (68.) 1-8. Far Hearts.) (68.) 14. Waiting Alligators. (68.)

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XVI. 1-4. Naval Station (Laboratory). (73.) 5-12. Dangerous Bakery. (74). 13-20. Great (Ecclesiastical, Everlasting) Foundation. (76). 18. Satanic Gates. (76.) 21-22. Straight Way. (77.) 23. Back Chamber. (77). 24-28. Greatest Market and Everlasting Mansions. (77.)

XVII. 1-9. Hardly Tabor (Happy Paradise). (78.) 10-13. Ancient (Pagan) Carmel, scene of Elijah's exploits. (79.) 14-20. Raging (Dark, Insane) Hades. (80.) 21. Maritime Carmel, Carmelitish monks. (80.) 22, 23. Sad (Fated) Calvary. (81.) 24-27. Taxed Galilee (Palestine). (82.)

XVIII. 1-6. Saint (Greatest in works) Paul.

James as to presiding. See Acts. (83.) 7-9. Traitorous Iscariot. (83.) 10. Ecstatic Raphael. (83.) 11-14. Anxious (Patient) Paschal pastor, shepherd. (Emmanuel). (83.) 15-20. Faithful Paul, rebuked S. Peter. (83.) Saint James—who presided at 1st Council. (83.) 21-35. Hard (Angry, Implacable, Impatient) Cain. (85.)

XIX. 1, 2. Departing Savior (Traveler). (102.) 3-12. Married Harlots (Lawless Rakes). (117.) 13-15. Happy Babes. (118.) 16-22. Asking (Unhappy) Man. (119.) 23-26. Scarce Millionaires in Heaven. (119.)

XX. 1-16. Same Pay. (120.) 17-19. Sad Statement. (121.) 20-28. Vain (Unhappy) Plans (Wrangling, Partiality). (122.) 29-34. Great (Calling, Hailing, Waiting) Faith. (123.)

XXI. 1-11. Every (Imperial, Regal, Inherited)
Land. (126.) 12, 13. Second (Cleansing) Water
(Air). (126.) 14. Healing Water (Air, Breath).
(126.) 15, 16. Echoing Air. (126.) 17. Next
Valley. (128.) (148.) 18-20. Keen (Freezing) Air.
(127.) 21, 22. Leveled Plain (Bay, Lake). (127.)
23-27. Obedient (Subservient) Stars (Planets).
(129.) 28-32. Paternal Land (Farm). (130.) 3341. Rented (Neglected) Land (Farm). (131.) 4246. Rejected Marble (Granite). (132.)

XXII. 1-14. Regal (Splendid, Imperial) Plate

(Platters, Glasses, Tankards, Decanters). (133.) 15-22. Imperial Denarius. (134.) 23-33. Seven (Wedding, Fresh) Chains (Plates). (135.) 34-40. Condensing Glass (Condensed Tablet) of the Law. (136.) 41-46. Inherited Regalia. (137.)

XXIII. 1-33. **Pretentious** (Seeming, Appearing) **Bark** outward show (Contentious Anise). (138.) 34-39. **Sheltering Branches** (Palms). (139.) (105.)

XXIV. 1, 2. Step (Steep) Ladder. (143.) 3-51. News Papers. (143.) 43-51. Wrenched (Bent) Planks. (144.)

XXV. 1-13. **Ten Hearts** and **Hands.** (145.) 14-30. **Bent** (Retentive Eagle) **Talons.** (146.) 31-46. **Needy** (Helpless, Feeble) **Hands.** (147.)

XXVI. 1-6. Priestly Palace. 6-13. Eating (Bethany, Feasting, Festive, Leper) Hall. (44), (150.) 14-16. Priestly Palace. (149.) 17-30. Guest Chamber. (151.) 31-35. Nearest (Protecting) Barn. (162.) 36-56. Cemetery (Weeping, Grieving) Chapel. (163.) 53. Heavenly (Angelic) Barracks. (163). 57-68. Priestly Palace. (164.) 61, 62. Threatened Temple. (164.) 69-75. Nearest Barn. (164.)

XXVII. 1-30. Subjected (Imperial) Palestine, under Pilate. (165.) 3-10. Dreadful (Desperate, Betting) Monaco, Place of suicides. (Unenvied Kartha, Place of Judas's origin.) (165.) 19. Dreamy

(Sleepy) Hades (Paradise). (165.) 24, 25. Healthful Washington (Bath). (165.) 37-56. Redeeming (Memorable, Remembered) Calvary. (166.) 46. Weeping (Lamenting) Rama. (166.) 51, 52. Empty (Deserted) Gravesend (Hades). 62-66. Impregnable (Defensive, Protecting) Gibraltar. (166).

XXVIII. 1. Early (Zealous, Bereaved, Weeping)
Marys. (167.) 2. Trembling Atlas, earthquake.
(167.) 2-8. Resembling Gabriel. (167.) 7. Sent
(Messenger, Welcome) Marys. (167.) 9, 10. Meeting (Met, Seeing, Greeting, Fearing) Marys. (167.)
11-15. Venal Arnold, bribed soldiers. (167.) 16-18.
Hesitating Gallio. (167.) 19-20. Zealous Athanasius, Great champion of Trinitarian Orthodoxy. (167.)

MARK.

Nouns with accented syllable in e = St. Mark. Adjetives follow the general rule—a adds 10, etc.

I. 1-11. Desert. (16.) 12, 13. Desert. (17.) 14, 15. Region. (23.) 16-20. Beach. (27.). 21-27. Breath (Earth, Stream). (28.) 28. Region. (31.) 29-34. Breeze (Zephyr). (29.) 35, 36. Desert. (30.) 37-39. Region. (31.) 40-44. Stream. (32.) 45. Desert. (30.)

II. 1-12. Fetters. (33.) 13, 14. Pen (Keys). (34), (56). 15-17. Keys (Kettles, Bell). (56.) 18-20. Bells, wedding. (56.) 21-22. Needles. (56.) 23-28. Keys. (36.)

III. 1-5. Leaves withered, (37.) 6-12. Leaves multitude. (38.) 13-19. Cedars (Trees). (39.) 20, 21. Tendrils lay hold. (48.) 20-30. Devils-tree (Leaf). (46.) 31-35. Tendrils. (48.)

IV. 1-20. Bread. (52.) 21-23. Bed. (40.) 24, 25. Measure, wooden. (40), (50.) 26-29. Meal. (52.) 30-34. Nests (Nets). (52.) 35-41. Bench or Seat as Bed. (54).

V. 1-20. Beasts (Devils). (55.) 21-43. Sheep, Talitha, lamb. (57.) 25-34. Leeches, blood. (57.)

VI. 1-6. Conventicle (Steeple), local or village

celebrity. (60.) 7-13. Cathedral (Seminary), from which men are sent on missions. (62.) 14-29. Heronry. (63.) 30-31. Hermitage. (64.) 32. Vessel. (64.) 33-44. Refractory. (64.) 45-54. Vessel. (66.) 55, 56. **Streets.** (66.)

VII. 1-13. Jericho, school of priests, etc. (68.) 14-23. Gehenna, place for garbage and unclean things. (68.) 24-30. Woman of Greece. (69.) 31-37. Ephesus, ephphatha. (70.)

VIII. 1-9, 14-21. Jesus not Ceres. (72.) 10-13. Gen. Greeley, of weather signal fame. (73.) 22-26. Seymour could see more after second healing. (75.) 27-33. Jesus and Peter. (76), (77). 34-38. Peabody the philanthropist. (77.)

IX. 1-10. Spectators. (78.) 11-13. Predecessor, "first come." (79.) 14-29. Wretch and Demon. (80.) 23, 24. Unbeliever. (80.) 30-32. Repeater. (81.) 33-37. Chief (Leader) Receiver. (83.) 38-41. Speaker (Seceder). (84.) 42-50. Offender. (83.) 49, 50. Seasoner. (40), (83).

X. 1. No Respite (Ease, Rest). (102.) 2-12. Wedlock. (117.) 13-16. Displeasure at the disciples, and Blessing to the children. (118.) 17-22. Grief for his Possessions. (119.) 23-27. Ease and Plenty. (119.) 28-30. Recompense. (119.) 31. Reversal. (119.) 32-34. Fear and Dread of death. (121.) 35-45. Precedence (Envy Leadership,

Chieftainship). (122.) 46–52. Mercy (Perseverance, "Peace"). (123.)

XI. 1-11. Waiting (Favored) Earth. (126.) 12-14. Hard (Barren) Earth. (127.) 15-19. Sacred (Saving) Stream. (126.) 20-21. Hard (Barren) Earth. (127.) 22-26. Flat Sea (Earth). (127.) 27-33. Commanded (Reigning) Hearers (Earth). (129.)

XII. 1-12. Lawless Weapons. (131.) 10-12. Marvelous Headstone. (132.) 13-17. Sacred (Sanctuary, National) Shekel. (124.) 18-27. Marriage Jewels. (135.) 28-34. Great Key. (136.) 35-37. David's (Sacred) Scepter. (137.) 28-40. False (Dangerous) Pen. Beware of scribes. (138.) 41-44. Quarter Penny, one farthing. (All Pence she had. Small Leptons). (140.)

XIII. Tall Tree to watch from. (143.)

XIV. 1, 2. Passover Bread. (150.) 3-9. Waste Bread. (44), (150). 10, 11. Handy (Traitorous) Chest. (149.) 12-26. Placed (Arranged) Seats (Benches, Beds.) (151.) 55-65. Hasty (False) Benches. (164.) 66-72. Hall Seat (Bench). (164.) XV. Hated Eagles. Roman power. Pilate. (165.) Paschal Sheep. (Sacred Head.) (165.) 34. Forsaken Breast. (165.) 42. Exhausted Nerves. (165.) XVI. 1-11. Bad (Ravaged) Sepulcher. (167.) 1. Fragrant Sepulcher. (167.) 3, 4. Granite

(Marble) Sepulcher. (167.) 5, 6. Bachelor Tenement. (167.) 7. Bad Tenement. (167.) 12, 13. Late (Handy, Traveler's) Shelter. (167.) 14-18. Large Refectory. (167.) 16. Damp Cell. (167.) 17, 18. Handy Dispensary. (167.) 19, 20. Greatest Theater (Coliseum, Elevator). (167.)

LUKE.

Nouns with accented syllable in i = S. Luke. Adjectives follow the general rule—a adds 10, etc.

I. 1-4. Ice (Quicksilver) "taken in hand." (2.) 5-25. Fire, incense. (4.) 26-38. Ice, hail, "Hail Mary," Ave Maria. (5.) 39-56. Diamonds (Icicles) Magnificent, Magnificat. (6.) 57-80. Fire, type of Holy Ghost which inspired Zacharias and was to be in John Baptist. (7.)

II. Chimes, Christmas. (9.) 1-5. Wire (Rivets) tacks, tax. (9.) 21. Knife. (10.) 22-24. Ring, ring-dove, pair of turtle doves. (11.) 25-38. Scythe (Sickle) Symbol of time. Aged Simeon and Anna. (12.) 29-32. Mirror "mine eyes have seen." (12.) 39, 40, 51, 52. Chisels (Bits, Gimlets, etc.) (14.)

III. 1-22. Briers (Thistles). (16.) 23-38. Ivy (Vine). (3.)

IV. 1-13. Wine (Whiskey, Liquor, Gin) temptation. (17.) 14, 15. Ink, now used in spreading Gospel or fame. (23.) 16-27. Sedilia, "sat down." (60.) 28-30. Sticks, mob. (26.) 31-37. Liquor (Gin, Whiskey) "unclean spirit." (28.) 38, 39. Quinine fever. (29.) 40, 41. Windows, Litters, breeze and sick. (29.) 42-44. Missal. (30.) Ink. (31.)

V. 1-11. Fish. (27.) 12-14. Skin. (32.) 15-17. Birds, flocks, crowds, birds of prey. (32.) 18-26. Limbs, palsied. (33.) 27-29. Leviathan, Levi (Spider sitting at receipt of custom). (34.) 30-35. Pigs (Swine) eating and drinking. (56.) 36-39. Skins used for garments and bottles in ancient times. (56.)

VI. 1-5. Crib. (36.) 6-11. Synagogue. (37.) 12-19. Pillars of the Church. (39.) 20-26. Chimney. Bats, beatitudes. (40.) 27-36. Highway. (40.) 37. Prison. (40.) 38. Crib. (40.) 39. Highway (Bridge). (40.) 40-42. Building above the Master: beam. (40.) 43-45. Dry house (Refrigerator). (40.) 46-49. Building. (40.)

VII. 1-10. Philippi. (Virginia, Vicksburg). (41.) 11-17. Widdin (Widnes) widow. (42.) 18-30. Limbo (Libby, Sing Sing) imprison. (43.) 31-35. Italy. (43.) 36-50. Indies (Spice Island) aromatic and costly ointments. (44.) (150.)

VIII. 1-3. Lydia who ministered (Miss Nightingale). (45.) 4-15. Giles (Timothy). (52.) 16-17. Isaac deceived by his failing sight. Elijah the fiery prophet. Delilah, bed of ease. (40.) 18. Shylock. (55.) 19-21. Israelites indeed. (48.) 22-25. Christ (Ulysses, Casabianca "born to rule the storm"). (54.) 26-40. Wilde (Pigslay, Dives, Shylock), their unlawful gains threatened, they beg Jesus to go. (55.) 41-56. Jairus. (57.) 43-48. Isis issue. (57.)

IX. 1-6. Missionaries and Physicians. (62.) 7-9. Inquirer (Disciples). (63.) 10-17. Pilgrims (Picnickers). (64.) 18-22. Inquirer (Disciples). (76.) 22-27. Deniers (Disciples, Imitators, Buyers). (62.) 28-36. Witnesses (Disciples). (78.) 37-42. Child (Victim). (80.) 43-45. Victim, Mystics, "wondered," etc. (81.) 46-48. Child (83.) 49-50. Bigot. (84.) 51-56. Rivals (Inquisitors, Bigots, Fire-eaters, Firemen, Fighters, Jingoes). (88.) 57-62. Disciples (Beginners, Pilgrims, Imitators, Lingerers). (53), (77.)

X. 1-20. Mission. (62.) 2. Deficiency. (62.) 3. Innocence (Violence). (62.) 4. Equipment. (62.) 5, 6. Quiet. (62.) 7. Hire. (62.) 8-18. Chastisement for Indifference to Privileges. (62.) 17-20. Might, lightning. (96.) 21, 22. Innocence and Wisdom. (96.) 23, 24. Privilege. (96.) 25-28. Life (Right, Piety). (93), (136.) 29-37. Indifference, Pity, Kindness. (93.) 38-42. Anxiety of Martha, Wisdom of Mary. (94.) Indifference. (86.) XI. 1-13. Answering (Prayer-hearing) Sky. (40), (95.) 14-26. Great Divide, watershed. Cast-out Dirt. (46.) 27, 28. Calling Wind (Sky). 29-32. Pagan Skies. (47.) 33-36. Natural (Candle) Light. (40.) 37-54. Wailing Wind. (50). 37-41. Pharisee (Garden) Dirt (Silt, Schist). (49.)

XII. 1. Paving Bricks, "trode." (40), (50.) 2.

Glass Lid. (40), (50.) 3. Dark (Alarm) Wire (40), (50.) 4, 5. Warning (Handy) Pistol. (40), (50.) 6. Farthing Silver (Dimes, Thrips). (40), (50.) 7. Hair Trigger (Spring), (40), (50.) 8, 9. Tearing Pincers (Branding Iron), forced confession. (40), (50). 10-12. Branding Iron, fire of spirit and irrevocableness. (40), (50.) 13-15. Large (Brass) Dividers. (40), (50.) 16-21. Larger (Barn) Hinges. (40), (50.) 22-24. Plain Dishes and Raiment Pins. (40), (50). 25-27. Tall Spindles. (40), (50). 28-30. Grass Scythe (Sickle). (40), (50.) 31, 32. Added Diadem. (40), (50.) 33-40. Breaking Jimmy. (144.) 41-46. Carving Knife, steward, portion of meat; cut him in sunder. (40), (50.) 47, 48. Lash Wires (Tips). (40), (50.) 49, 50. Fallen Wire, electric, "send fire on the earth," "straightened." (40), (50.) 51-53. Family (Brass) Dividers. (40), (50.) 54-57. Large (Mariners, Sailors') Spy-glass. (40), (50.) 58, 59. Fastened Gyves (Gate Hinges). (40), (50.)

XIII. 1-3. Sacrificed Bittersweet, sacrifices mingled. (51.) 4, 5. Mantling (Hanging) Ivy (Vine) tower. (51.) 6-9. Barren Fig Tree. (51.) 10-17. Raised (Straightened) Willow (Vine). (103.) 18-19. Greatest Vine (Sinapis). (52), 104). 20, 21. Raised Rice. (52), (104). 22-30. Planted Ivy (Vine) on the way (104.) around the gate LUKE. 153

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XIV. 1-4. Water Bin, dropsy. (106). 5, 6. Rail Pry (Handy Stick). (106.) 7-11. Changed (Classic) Triclinum (Sedilia). (106.) 12-15. Plain Linen. (107.) Grand Linen. (108.) 25, 26. Paper Ties more easily broken than family ties. (109.) 27. Palmer (Walking) Stick. (109.) 28-30. Prepared. (Paid, Planed, Sawed) Timber. (109.) 31-33. Army (Prepared, Paper) Lists (Slips, Bills). (109.) 34, 35. Waste (Salt) Chips. (40), (109.)

XV. 1-7. Last Firstling, 100th (or last sheep) 1st in interest. (110.) 8-10. Tallow Dip (Dripping). (110.) 11-32. Nasty (Fasting, Famishing, Wanting) Swine (Pigs). (110.)

XVI. 1-12. Passenger Ship (Large Inn or Kitchen). (40), (111.) 14-18. State Prison (Law Inns, inns of Court, London). (112), (117.) 19-31. Same City (Village), nearness of rich and poor. (113.) XVII. 1, 2. Manufacturing Milltown (Birmingham). (114.) 3, 4. Crafty Gibeon forgiven. (114.) 5, 6. Snaggy Mississippi, numerous tree roots. (114.)

7-10. Enslaved and Emancipated Dixie (Virginia, Carolina), question of profit in slaves or hired servants. (114.) 11-19. Quarantined Hawaii. (89.) 20-23.

Watched for Kingston, watching for the kingdom.

(143.) 24, 25. Flaming Shinar. (143.) 26, 27. Rainy Tigris, supposed region of Flood, Ark, etc. (143.) 28-37. Salty Syracuse. Lot's wife. (143.)

XVIII. 1-8. Patient Miss Dix. Dorothy, see her biography. (115.) 9-14. Abased (Saintly, Patient) Jeremiah. (Uriah Heap.) (116.) 15-17. Angry Christ (Aged Simeon and the child Christ). (118.) 18-30. Anxious Dives (Midas, Shylock). (119.) 31-34. Advancing Christ. (121.) 35-43. Slang "Tim" for Timeus, Bar Timeus (Answering Christ). (123.)

XIX. 1-10. Exact Inquirer (Small Climber, Favored Sinner). (124.) 11-27. Unfaithful Minister and Hateful Citizens. (125.) 28-40. Awaited (Messianic Sacred) King. (126.) 39, 40. Pharisaic (Carping, Angry) Critics. (126.) 41-44. Fated (Mad, Infatuated, Ungrateful) Victims (Citizens). (126.) 45-48. Angry (Sacred) Visitor. (126.)

XX. 1-8. What Right (Same Right), what authority. (129.) 9-16. Outrageous Villainy (Violence). (131.) 17, 18. Small (Awful) Grinding. (132.) 19-26. Paid Tribute (Crafty Insidiousness, Trick). (134.) 27-40. Many Widowhoods. (135.) 41-47. Exalted Sitting. (137), (138).

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XXII. 1-6. Treacherous (Pledged, Plentiful) Silver. (149.) 7-38. Necessary (Several, Central, General, Separate) Dishes. (151.) 15, 16. Farewell (Special) Dish. (151.) 31, 32. Metal Sifter. (151.) 35-38. Ready Hilts and Silver. (151.) 39-53. Death Scythe Cementary (Creaking Hinge garden gate at night). (163.) 43. Angelic Links strengthened from above. (163.) 44. Reddened Tiles dropping blood. (163.) 48, 49. Questioning Knife question should have cut deep. (163.) 50, 51. Severing and Healing Knife. (163.) 55. Heated Tiles. (164). 56-62. Like Piercing Knife questions and remorse. (164.) 64. Metal Blinds blindfolding. (164.) 70. Questionable Diadem. (164.)

XXIII. Imperial Vine on ensigns. (165.) 4-15. Galilean Limb of the law. (165.) 18. Shrieking Thistles. (165.) 24, 25. Wretched Prickles, poison. (165.) 26-31. Weeping Willows, weeping women. (166.) 34. Cleansing Hyssop, forgiven. (166.) 40-43. Bent (Penitent) Thistle (Briar). (166.) 46. Penetrating Prickles into the hands.

(166.) 48. Stretching Limbs smite the breast, over a narrow wooded path. (166.) 56. Fresh (Green) Spice-bushes. (166.)

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JOHN.

Nouns with accented syllable in o = John. Adjectives follow general rule a = 10, etc.

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II. 1-11. Pots. (19.) 12. Stones of ruins now. (19.) 13-22. Stones of Temple. (20.) 23-25. Probe, "knew what was in man." (20.)

III. 1-21. Grove (Woods), concealment by night. (21.) 22-36. Poplars, popularity. (22.) 23. Woods. (22.)

IV. 1-3. Boards from poplars, these verses result of preceding passage. Popularity (Bulletin). (23.) 4-42. Pole (Box, Broom), woman at well. (24.) 31-34. Locker. (24.) 35-38. Coffers (Crops). (24.) 43-54. Toga distinctive of Roman Nobleman. (25.)

V. 1-18. Crocodile (Hippopotamus) pool. (35.) 17. Ox. Symbol of Labor. Work (Horse). (35.) 19-23. Dove, heavenly witness. See Ch. I., 32-34. (35.) 24-29. Corpses, life. (35.) 30-47. Dove. See Ch. I., 32-34. (35.) 40. Corpses. (35.)

VI. 1-14. Hospice (Hostelry, Hotel). (64.) 15. Throne. (65.) 16-25. Boats. (66.) 26-71. Store. (67.) 66-71. Road. (67.)

VII. 1-13. The South. (87.) 14-18. Oxford, learning. (90.) 19-24. Horeb, law of Moses. (90.) 25-31. The North, whence He is. (90.) 32-36. Rome, Gentiles. (90.) 37-39. Jordan. (90.) 40-44. From the North or the South, Nazareth or Bethlehem. (90.) 45-53. Areopagus "brought him." "Before it hear him." Acts xvii. (90.)

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MNEMONIC HARMONY OF THE GOSPELS

FOLLOWING, IN THE MAIN, THE MOST POPULAR HAR-MONIES; WITH A LITTLE FULLER GROUPING OF KINDRED PASSAGES.

Nouns in a = Matthew, e = Mark, i = Luke, o = John.

Adjectives follow the general rule, a = 10, etc.

- 1. Preface to S. John's Gospel. World.
- 2. Preface to S. Luke's Gospel. Ice (or Quicksilver), "taken in hand."
- 3. Genealogies. Strata chronological order, also Marble or Granite for inscription of names. And Ivy or Vines, which climbs up. S. Luke's the ascending order, and it goes up to Adam.
- 4. Zacharias in the temple. Fire "to burn incense."
- 5. Angel and S. Mary. Ice "hail" and purity.
- 6. SS. Mary and Elizabeth. **Diamonds** (or Firmament) magnificent; the "Magnificat."
- 7. Birth of John the Baptist and Zechariah's Fire of inspiration, this time.
- 8. Angel and S. Joseph. Cave, "put away privily."
- 9. Birth of Jesus. Chimes. Christmas.

- 10. Circumcision. Knife.
- 11. Presentation in Temple. Ring, "turtle doves" or ring dove.
- 12. Aged Simeon and Anna. Sickle (Scythe), symbol of time.
 - "Nunc Dimittis." Mirror, "mine eyes have seen."
- Wise Men. Caskets costly gifts.
 Massacre Graves.

Flight into Egypt. Lanterns "by night."

- 14. Return and Residence at Nazareth. Hammers, Saws, Files, Chisels, etc.
- 15. Visit to Temple at the age of twelve. Twelve o'clock or temple Chimes. In the midst of Doctor's Instruments (Hinges, Cardinals).
- 16. John Baptist in the Desert and Baptism of Jesus. Brambles (Cactus) and Briers (Thistles) in a Desert.
- 17. Temptation in the Desert. Wine (Liquor, Whisky) Brandy (Ale, Cask, Barrel) in a Desert.
- 18. John testifies of Jesus and First Disciples, near the Jordan Ford.
- 19. Marriage and Miracle at Cana, Pots.
- 20. Passover and first Cleansing of Temple, building Stones.
 - "He knew what was in men." Probe.
- 21. Discourse with Nicodemus, "by night," "men love darkness." Woods (or Grove).

- 22. Baptizing in Judea and John near Salim, "much water there." Moss (or Wort).
 - Question between Disciples of Jesus and John. Poplars, popularity.
- 23. Jesus departs to Galilee after John's Imprisonment and teaches, another Region. Journey, Staff, Stick, Rod, Prison, Straw or Boards. Fame. Ink. Papers.
- 24. Woman of Samaria at Well. **Box** (Pole, Broom). Food, and Harvest gathered. **Lockers** (Boxes).
- 25. Healing of Nobleman's Son. Toga worn by Roman noblemen.
- 26. At Nazareth in Synagogue; after reading Jesus "sat down and taught." Sedilia. Is mobbed there. Sticks. Goes to dwell at Capernaum. "The people which sat in darkness." Chairs.
- 27. Calling of the Four Disciples and Draught of Fishes. Baskets (Cast-nets) on the Beach with Fishes.
- 28. Unclean Spirit Cast out. Liquor (Whisky) mixed with Earth (Lead).
- 29. Peter's Mother-in-Law and many others healed, "as was spoken by Esaias, "at even." Breeze, "fever," Quinine. Windows and Litters, breeze and sick.
- 30. Retires and prays in a desert place. Missal in a Desert.

- 31. Journey through Galilee. Map of Region (Staves) and Sticks.
- 32. Healing of a Leper, with Skin like Naaman's before he washed in the Stream.
- 33. Healing of a Paralytic. Paralysis binds the Limbs like Fetters. Bearers had to bring him. Pharisees. "Blasphemer."
- 34. Call of Levi. Leviathan. Taxman with Pen (Key).
- 35. Pool of Bethesda. Otter (Crocodile, Hippopotamus).
 - Subsequent Discourse. "My Father worketh hitherto and I work." Ox. Relation to the Father and the Father's witness to Him. Dove. See Jo. I. 32-34. "Life," "Death," "Graves," "that ye may have life," etc. Corpses.
- 36. Disciples pluck ears of grain on the Sabbath. Priests blameless. Blameless (Sabbath). Plates, for collections; and Key to the Crib. for corn.
- 37. Withered Hand in the synagogue. Withered Leaves (Stem), Hand Basin; Synagogue.
- 38. Arrives at Sea of Tiberias followed by multitudes; like Leaves.
 - Jesus seeks to avoid publicity. Brass Band, "hear His voice in the streets."

- 39. Twelve Apostles. Naming (Calling) of the Pillars; like Cedars (Trees).
- 40. Sermon on the Mount. Beatitudes and woes.

 Bats (or Swallows) in a Chimney.
 - "Salt." "Cast out." Seasoner. Waste (Cast) Chips.
 - "Light," "candle" under a Bed. Delilah. Tallow.

Law not to be destroyed. Parchment more durable than paper.

- "Thou shalt not kill." Game.
- "Deliver thee to the judge." Handy (Safe) Gyves.

Adultery and divorce. Satyr.

"Cut off the Hand."

Swearing, right Hand held up in court.

"Canst not make one Hair white or black,"
"eye," "tooth," "cheek," "take away thy
cloak," "go a mile," "give to every one that
asketh." Face (Back) on a Highway.

Love for enemies. Lamb in a Prison.

Alms, Almonry.

Prayer. Chapel. Answering (or Prayer-hearing) Sky. "Forgive when ye stand." You are under the Same Sky, on the Same Earth. Fasting. Bakery (Market).

"Lay up treasures." Bank (Garret).

"How great is that darkness." Catacomb without Natural (Candle) Light.

Anxiety about food and clothing. Bazarre; Fancy (Plain) Dishes.

Two masters, of the Same Inn (Ship, Kitchen).

Judgment. Prison in Babylon. Daniel.

- "Beam." Building in Babylon.
- "Fall into the ditch." Bridge.
- "Pearls before swine." Gadara.
- "Ask." Askalon; Answering Sky.
- "Strait gate." Margate (Aldgate, Gibraltar); Small Lichens (Clambering Ivy).
- Tree known by its fruits. Refrigerator in Havana.
- "Enter into the Kingdom of Heaven." Paradise, "depart from me" into Hades. "Doeth the will." Willimantic.
- Building on the sand or rock, a Building in Sahara (Gibraltar).
- 41. Centurion's Servant. Washington in Virginia.

 Care of the great soldier for his servants.
- 42. Raising of widow's son. Widdin (Widnes).
- 43. John's Message from prison and following discourse. Limbo (Libby, Isle d'If). Favored and Ungrateful Land. Piping and dancing. Italy is a Playful Land.
 - "All ye that labor" Laboring Waves.

- 44. Jesus anointed by a woman "which was a sinner." Sinope (Sing Sing).
- 45. Second circuit in Galilee and ministering women. Miss Nightingale. (Lydia.)
- 46. Demoniac and blasphemers. Satanic Spade sowing Devil's Seed in the Great Divide. "House divided," "never forgiven." Last (Fatal) Hinge.
 - Friends went to lay hold on Him. Tendrils.
- 47. Seeking a sign. Brass Plate. Nineveh and Queen of the South. Pagan skies.
- 48. Nearest relatives of Christ. Israelites indeed. Family Plate. Tree (Tendrils).
- 49. Washing. Pharisee Garden (Complaining). Dirt (Schist, Silt).
- 50. Discourse to multitude, "they trode." Paving Brick.
 - "Nothing covered, hid," Glass Lid (Proclaiming Clarion).
 - "Kill the body," "fear," "warn." Handy Pistol.
 - "Two farthings." Strange (American) Thrips (Dimes).
 - "Hairs," Hair Trigger (Spring).
 - Confessing or denying before men. Tearing (Branding) Pincers (Irons).
 - "Not be forgiven." Lost (Fatal) Hinge.

- "A judge or a divider. Brass Dividers.
- "Greater barns." Barn Hinges.
- "Fear not little flock, kingdom." Everlasting Diadem.
- "No thief approacheth." House broken. Breaking Jimmy.
- Steward, "portion of meat," "cut in sunder." Carving Knife.

Few and many stripes. Lash Wires (Tips).

"Fire on the earth." Fallen Wire, electric.

Family Divisions. Family (Brass) Dividers.

Discerning the face of the sky. Large Spyglass. See also warning to Disciples and sermon on the Mount.

51. Galileans' blood mingled with their sacrifices.
Sacrificed Bittersweet, mingled. Tower in Siloam. Hanging (Mantling) Ivy.

Barren Fig-tree.

52. Parable of Sower. One of the plainest. Giles would not expect Bread from Quack Grass.

Tares and other parables. Gathered Tares.

Mustard seed. Greatest Plant, Greatest Vine, and Nests.

Ear of "corn." Meal and Raised Rice.

Leaven. Baker's Plants.

Treasure hidden in the field, and pearls. Flattened (Packed) Grass to conceal.

- Net. "Sat down" on Flat (Handy) Grass.
- 53. Jesus had not where to lay His head. Like Lazarus, the beggar.
 - Beginners as Disciples not to be Lingerers (Shirkers).
 - "Let the dead bury their dead." Lazarus that was dead.
- 54. Stilling the tempest. Christ with a Bench or Seat for a Bed (Ulysses, Charon, Casabianca, "as born to rule the storm").
- 55. Demoniacs of Gadara. The Devils went into the Beasts. The Gadarites were Shylocks; did not want to lose their unlawful profit in unclean beasts.
- 56. Levi's Feast. Kettles (Bell) for dinner. Pharisees regarded Tramps as Swine (Pigs). Question about Fasters. Old garments pieced. Tailors with Needles. Caterers with new bottles, which were made of Skins.
- 57. Jairus' Daughter and woman with bloody issue. Daughter of Jairus and Leeches.
- 58. Two blind men healed. Partners. "Crying" Wailers (Callers) "spread abroad His fame." Proclaimers.
- 50. Dumb spirit cast out. Stammerers. Marvelers. Pharisees, Slanderers, and Blasphemers.
- 60. Rejected again at Nazareth. Family Laurels

- (Hayseed, Wayback Plant, Branch). Conventicles, often gathering place of narrow, local prejudice.
- 61. Third (?) Tour of Galilee; as Evangelist "teaching and preaching"; as Philanthropist, "moved with compassion" for the "multitude." No Harvesters or Laborers.
- 62. After Warning, etc., He sends forth the Disciples as Physicians and Ministers to heal and preach, as from a Seminary or Cathedral.
- 63. Herod inquires about John whom he had beheaded at the banquet. Inquirer at the Heronry, scene of the Ghastly Table.
- 64. Jesus retires with the returned disciples and feeds 5,000. Like Pilgrims (Sitters, Inmates) at the Large (Charity) Tables in the Refectory of a Hospice (Hostelry).
- 65. When they would place Jesus on a **Throne**, He retired.
- 66. Jesus walks on the water, in the storm at night.

 Darkened Sails (Breaking Masts) of Vessels

 and Boats. People next day inquire about

 Boats.
- 67. Discourse about bread of life. **Stores.**Many turned back, from the **Road.**
- 68. A great deal was taught about Unwashed Hands,

- etc., at Jericho, chief school for such (Gehenna, a place of unclean things).
- 69. A woman of Greece pleaded the privilege of the Canaanitish Canines (Animals).
- 70. Deaf and dumb man healed. "Ephphatha." Ephesus.
- 71. Maimed Hands, etc., healed.
- 72. 4,000 fed. Jesus, not Ceres, feeds the Famishing Ravens (Cattle, Animals).
- 73. Sign from heaven asked again. Gen. Greely and Naval (Sailing) Stations. Head of Weather Report. Chiefly important to ships.
- 74. Warning against leaven of Pharisees, etc. The Devil keeps a Dangerous Bakery.
- 75. Blind Man healed, gradually. Seymour.
- 76. Jesus an Inquirer of the Disciples: "Whom say ye that I am?" Profession of Peter, the Everlasting Foundation, against which the Satanic Gates shall not prevail.
- 77. Jesus foretells, the Peter objects, the Painful Way before Him. But it is the Gainful Way for Disciples to be Imitators, not Deniers.
- 78. Transfiguration. The place was Hardly Tabor, tho tradition says so. Disciples most favored of Spectators and Witnesses.

- 79. Question about Elias of Pagan Carmel fame.

 Since Predecessor must first come.
- 80. Healing a Demoniac. The Child was a Victim of the Demons (Devils) like the Wretches in Raging Hades.
 - "Fasting and Prayer." Ascetics of Maritime Carmel. Carmelite monks.
 - "Help mine unbelief." Unbeliever.
- 81. Jesus foretells again His death. A Repeater of the fact that He is to be the Victim of Fated Calvary.
- 82. Tribute money provided. Taxed Galilee.
- 83. Who shall be greatest. Greatest Matthew? (James, Paul), (Small Samuel). Taught by a Child, as to who shall be Chief (Leader).
 - Wo to Offenders. Must needs be, but wo to that man, e.g., Traitorous Iscariot. "Their angels do always behold the face." Ecstatic Raphael. "Hell." Devils (Wretches). "Tell him his fault." Brave (Faithful) Paul to St. Peter at Antioch.
 - "Neglect to hear the Church." Saint James
 First presided and pronounced the Church's authority.
- 84. Casting out devils in Christ's name. "He that is not against us is for us." Bigots (Rivals), Seceders (Sectaries).

- 85. Unmerciful servant. Hard (Impatient, Implacable) Chain.
- 86. The 70 instructed and sent out on their Mission. "Laborers few." Deficiency. "Lambs among wolves." Innocence, "purse nor scrip." Equipment. "Peace to this house." Quiet. "Worthy of his Hire." "Receive you not." Indifference. "Wo unto Chorazin." Chastisement. "Despiseth you despiseth me." Despite.
- 87. Leaving Galilee for the South.
- 88. Samaritans refuse a passage. Bigots (Inquisitors). "Shall we command fire?" Fire-eaters (Jingoes, Inquisitors).
- 89. Ten Lepers cleansed. Quarantined Hawaii (India).
- 90. Feast of Tabernacles. "How knoweth this man letters, having never learned?" Oxford, "Did not Moses give you the law?" Horeb. "Ye know whence I am." The North. "Will he go unto the dispersed among the Gentiles?" Rome, etc. "Rivers of living water." Jordan. "Out of Galilee or the town of Bethlehem." The North or The South. "Why have ye not brought him?" "Brought him to Areopagus." "Never man spake as this man." "Judge a man before it hear him!"

- 91. Woman taken in adultery. "Moses in the Law." (Joseph and Potiphar's wife.)
- 92. Further teaching and reproof for unbelief. "Light of the world." Aurora. "His time was not yet come." Chronos. "Ye shall die in your sins." Mephistopheles. "The truth shall make you free." Demosthenes. "Devil a liar." Job, Ch. I. Christ's relation to God (Jehovah).
- 93. Question of eternal Life, and Parable of Good Samaritan; his Pity and Kindness; Indifference of priest and Levite.
- 94. Mary's Wisdom and Martha's Anxiety.
- 95. Disciples taught to pray. Prayer-hearing (Answering) Sky.
- 96. The 70 return. "Satan as Lightning fall."

 Light and Night "hid from the wise, revealed to babes." Innocence and Wisdom.
 "Prophets and Kings have desired." Privilege.
- 97. Blind man healed, and discourse. Oculist.
- 98. Feast of Dedication. **Devotion** (or Goodness, Love). "It was winter." Cold.

Works and Oneness with the Father.

- 99. Retires beyond Jordan. Repose and short Postponement of the end.
- 100. Raising of Lazarus from the Dark Ground.

- 101. Council of chief priests and Pharisees. "Romans shall come and take away both our place and nation." Endangered Province. Jesus retires from a Dangerous to a Safer Province.
- 102. Jesus departs—goes beyond Jordan and multitudes follow. The Departing Master (Savior) finds little Rest (Respite, Ease).
- 103. Woman bowed together made straight. Straightened Vine (Willow, Ivy).
- 104. Advancing toward Jerusalem and teaching. Planted Vines. I Cor. iii: 3-8.
- 105. Warned of Herod, "that fox." Gnawed Vines. Song of S. II. 15.
 - "As a hen and ye would not." Wasted Chickweed.
- 106. Dined with chief Pharisee. Healed the dropsy. Water Bin. "Ass or ox fallen into a pit." Handy Pry (Stick, Sill). "Sit not down in the highest room, give this man place." Changed Triclinium (Sedilia).
- 107. "When thou makest a feast call the poor." Plain Linen.
- 108. Parable of Great Supper. Grand Linen.
- 109. Following Jesus. "Hate not his Father," etc. Paper Ties easily broken; not so other Attachments. Walking (Palmer's) Sticks. "Intending to build." Paid for (Prepared, Sawed,

- Planed) Timber. War, 10,000 against 20,000. Army (Prepared Paper) Lists of soldiers.
- 110. Lost Sheep. Last Firstling.
 Piece of Silver. "Candle." Tallow Dip
 (Dripping).
 - Prodigal Son, Famished (Wanting, Nasty) Swine (Pigs).
- Inns (Kitchens) require stewards. "Two masters" of Same Ship (Inn, Kitchen).
- 112. Pharisees and the Law. Law Inns of London.
- 113. Rich man and Lazarus, of Same City (Village).

 Propinquity.
- 114. Forbearance, Faith, Humility, "Offences," "Millstone," Manufacturing Milltown (Birmingham).
 - "Forgive him." Crafty Gibeon (Implacable Elijah, as to ruinous pagans).
 - "Plucked up, root, cast into the sea." Snaggy Mississippi. "Unprofitable Servants." Enslaved and Emancipated Dixie (Virginia, Carolina).
- 115. Importunate Widow. Patient Miss Dix.

 Dorothy, one of the most importunate.
- 116. Pharisee and Publican. Abased Jeremiah (Hezekiah, Uriah Heap).
- 117. Divorce. Married Harlots and Shameless

- Rakes are not in Wedlock but Felony. Law Inns should send them to State Prison.
- His Displeasure at the disciples, and gave His Blessing to the Happy Babes. Aged Simeon took the infant Jesus in his arms.
- ious Dives (Midas, Shylock). The Unhappy
 Man has Grief for his Possessions, Recompense.
- 120. All the laborers in the vineyard had the Same Pay.
- salem and His death and resurrection. Advancing Christ makes His Last (Sad) Statement of His Death, the Fear of disciples.
- Wrangling (Vain Plans) about Precedence (Leadership, Chieftainship), Envy.
- and Perseverance obtains Mercy from an Answering (Compassionate) Christ.
- 124. Zacchæus. Exact Inquirer (Small Climber).
 They murmured at the Favored Sinner.
- 125. Parable of Pounds. Faithful Ministers and Hateful Citizens.
- 126. Triumphal entry into Jerusalem. There should

be a Waiting Crown for the Sacred (Messianic) King in Every Land of the Sad (Waiting, Wanting) Earth.

Jesus wept over the Fated (Mad, Fanatical) Victims. Wasted Chickweed.

- Children's praises. *The* Echoing Air and Carping (Pharisaic) Critics. Cleansing Temple. Sacred (Angry) Visitor. Cleansing Water. Pots (Stones).
 - "Healed." Sacred (Laving) Stream of Healing Waters.
- 127. Withered Fig-tree. Hard (Arid, Barren) Earth, and Freezing (Keen) Air. Faith to remove mountains, like Level Land and the Flat Sea.
- 128. In the evening He went out over the Next Valley and the Next Hill.
- The Same Right as that over the Commanded Heavens (or Earth), and the Obedient (Subservient) Stars (Planets).
- 130. Two sons, on the Paternal Farm (Land).
- 131. Wicked husbandmen. Rented (Neglected)

 Land. Lawless Weapons. Outrageous

 Villainy (Violence).
- 132. Rejected Stone. Rejected Marble (Granite),
 Marvelous Headstone, Awful (Small)
 Grinding, "grind to powder."

- 133. Marriage of king's son. Regal (Splendid)
 Plate (Platters, Flagons, Decanters, Tankards,
 Salvers).
- 134. Tribute to Cæsar. Paid Tribute (Crafty Trick, Insidiousness), Imperial Denarius (Sanctuary Shekel).
- 135. Marriage in the resurrection. Seven (Wedding, Fresh) Chains, Marriage Jewels, and Many Widowhoods.
- 136. Great Commandment. All condensed as in a Condensing Glass. Great (Safe) Key of Righteousness (Piety, Life).
- 137. Christ, the Son of David. David's Scepter.
 Inherited Regalia. Exalted Sitting, "Sit thou on my right hand."
- 138. Warnings and woes of Scribes and Pharisees.

 False (Dangerous) Pens. Pretentious Bark
 of tree (Contentious Anise), Exalted Positions (Sittings). Wailing (Vain, Complaining) Winds.
- 139. Lamentation over Jerusalem, "as a hen."

 Sheltering Branches (Palms). Wasted
 Chickweed.
- 140. Widow's Mite. Small Leptons (All the Pennies, Quarter Pennies). The smallest denominations of coin are not of Precious Silver, but of copper, nickel, etc.

- (Corselets). "The hour has come—save me from this hour." Watched (Awaited, Startling) Clock. "Corn—fall into the ground—bringeth forth." Planting (Repaying) Plow (Hoe). Sound like thunder. Bass Horn (Gong, Trombone). "Prince of this world cast out." Gate Lock, "if I be lifted up." Exalted (Displayed, Dazzling) Monstrance. "Walk in the light," Walking (Marking, Accurate) Pedometer.
- 142. Hopeless Unbelief. Vain Monstrance (Probe), "put out of the synagog. Gate Lock, "the word shall judge him." Answering Phonograph, by which the exact words are preserved.
- 143. Watching for coming signs. Destruction of Temple, etc. Terrifying (Perplexing) Skies.

 Newspapers, Steep Ladder up α Tall Tree, on α Beacon Hill. "Kingdom—with observation." Seen (Observed) Kingston, "as lightning shineth." Flaming (Dazzling, Ancient) Shinar, "day of Noe," Rainy Tigris. "Lot's Wife," Salty Syracuse.
- 144. Thief and house broken up. Breaking Jimmy and Bent (Wrenched) Planks.
- 145. Ten Virgins. Ten Hearts (and Hands) for somebody.

- 146. Five Talents. Bent (Eagle's) Talons.
- 147. Judgment according to Merciful (Helping) Hands, works of mercy.
- 148. At night Jesus went out to the Next Hill.
- 149. Rulers conspire with Judas. Plentiful (Pledged) Silver, in a Handy (Safe) Chest, in the Priestly Palace.
- 150. Supper at Bethany. Bethany (Eating, Feasting) Hall. Waste Money, Waste Bread, say some like Judas. S. Luke tells of a sinner. Sinopy (Sing Sing).
- 151. Passover Meal and institution of Lord's Supper. Guest (Eating) Chamber (Hall), Placed Seats (Beds). Several (Center, Separate, Necessary) Dishes. Fragrant (Arranged) Flowers.

Washing Feet. Water Wort.

- "With desire have I desired." Special Dish.
- "That he may sift you." Metal Sifter.
- "Swords," etc. Ready Hilts.
- Judas. Satanic Foxglove (and Wormwood).
- "Glorified." Glad (Happy) Morning-glory. Love. Emblematic Rose.
- 152. Many mansions. Many (Great) Doors. "I am the way." Strait (Plain) Door. "Shew us the Father-Have I been so long time with

- you?" Sacred (Faithful, Fatherly) Portrait (Photograph).
- 153. The Comforter. Plain (Flax, Calico) Comforter.
- 154. True Vine. Gnawing Foxes. Song S. II. 15.
- 155. Love and obedience. Sacrificing Doves.
- 156. World's hatred. Hating Wolves.
- 157. Persecutions foretold. "That ye may remember—sorrow hath filled your heart." Parting (Farewell) House (Room, Road).
- 158. Holy Spirit as Judge and Guide. Ecclesiastical Courts.
- 159. "A little while and ye shall not see me." Parting Roads (Coaches).
- 160. Prayer in Christ's Name. "Show you plainly." "I came forth—I go to the Father." Sanctum Sanctorum (Sacred Oratorium).
- 161. Christ's high-priestly prayer. Like Aaron on Sacred (Parting) Hor.
- 162. "The sheep shall be scattered." Halter Pegs and Protecting Barn.
- Chapel, Carrying Bier, Death Scythe, Sad Job (Orpah, Naomi, etc.). "Drops of blood."

 Reddened Tiles. "Angel from heaven—

 strengthening Him." Angelic (Heavenly)

 Links. "Lanterns and torches." Traitor-

- ous Diogenes. "Went backward." "Let these go their way." Backward (Departing) Jonah. "Shall we smite?" Ready Instrument (Knife) "healed him." Healing Instrument. "Malchus" and "Peter," names given by Accurate (Exact Naming) S. John. "Twelve legions of angels." Heavenly (Angelic) Barracks.
- Seats, on the Swept Tiles of the Priestly Palace. Acquainted S. John. "Bound Him—to Annas first—it was cold." Accurate S. John. "Linen cloth." Raveled Thread. "Forsook Him and fled." "False witnesses." Dangerous (Damaging) Records, at a Police (Central) Station.
- Moses, but an Alien Governor, and the Hated Eagles, and Enwreathed Vines meant Subjected Palestine. Suicide of Judas.

 Desperate Monaco, most noted place of suicides (Unenvied Kartha, native place of Judas).
 - Jesus sent to Herod. Galilean Limb. Dream of Pilate's Wife. Dreamy Hades (Paradise). Pilate takes Jesus again into the hall and questions Him, mentioned only by Exact S. John. Further efforts to release Jesus. Procrastina-

ting (Anxious) Governor. Washes his hands. Healthful Bath (Washington).

166. Crucifixion. Redeeming (Remembered) Calvary. Sacred Head. Wreathed (Piercing)Briers. Sacrificing (Patient) God.

Weeping women and others. Weeping Willows. Hebrew, Greek, and Latin Language (Apt, Accurate) Scholar. "What I have written I have written." Emphatic (Angry, Unchangeable) Governor. "Father, forgive them." Cleansing Hyssop. Penitent Thief. Penitent (Bent) Thistle. "Why hast thou forsaken me?" Weeping (Lamenting) Rama, and Forsaken Breast. "Four parts." Without seam." Accurate Observer. S. John. Women by the Cross. Faithful Woman. "Behold thy son-thy mother." Sacred Mother, and Favored (Favorite, Faithful, Named) Son. "Into Thy hands." Penetrating Prickles (Thistles, Briers). "I thirst." Famishing Lord (Safe Teetotaler). "It is finished." Faithful Workman. Earthquake, rocks rent and graves opened. Empty (Deserted) Gravesend (Hades). "Smote their breasts." Stretched (Spreading) Limbs over a path in passing smite us on the breast. Pilate marveled if He were already

dead. Exhausted Nerves soon succumb. "Preparation before the Sabbath." Sabbath Workers have Exhausted Nerves. "Break the legs pierced His side." Hasty Soldiers (Officers, Governor). Women "returned and prepared spices." Fresh (Green) Spicebushes. "Command therefore that the sepulcher be made sure—sure as ye can—set a watch." Impregnable (Protected, Defended) Gibraltar. Nicodemus. The Same Nobleman. Garden. Practical Botanist.

- 167. Resurrection. The Bereaved (Zealous, Trembling, Fearing, Weeping) Marys come to the Vacant (Sad, Ravaged, Sacred) Sepulcher with Sweet (Fresh, Ready) Spices, filled with Anxious Love (Curiosity, Sorrow, Joy).
 - "When it was yet dark." Grave Robbery. Earthquake. Trembling Atlas.

Angel. Resembling Gabriel. Spices. Fresh (Sweet) Spices make a Fragrant Sepulcher. "Who shall roll us away the stone?" Granite (Marble) Sepulcher (Vestibule). "A young man." Bachelor, Tenement. "Two men." Separate Pictures. "Remember—Galilee." Remembrance List (Ticket). "Go tell His disciples—Galilee." The Sent (Cheerful, Welcome) Marys

to Sad Tenements of the disciples. "Believed not—idle tales." Easy Primers (Pictures) in Baby Creches. "Peter and the other disciple." Anxious Curiosity (Rapid Motion). "Stooping down and looking in" Chest Lid. Weeping Mary. "Have taken away the Lord." Grave Robbery. "All hail!" Met (Meeting, Greeted) Mary. "Gardener," "Rabboni," "Touch me not." Tardy (Late) Recognizance (Glad, Great Joy). Soldiers bribed. Venal Arnold. Emmaus. "The day is far spent." Welcome Lintel of Handy (Late, Travelers) Shelter. "Sat at meat." Large Refectory. "Had seen a spirit." Nebulous Picture. "Handle." Seasoned Timber. "Did eat." Fresh (Edible) Biscuit. "Mountain in Galileesome doubted." Hesitating Gallio. At the Sea of Galilee. Galilee Shore. "Wordsspake—written—preached—witnesses." Special (Tested) Writings. St. Thomas. Satisfied Doubt. "Signs-drink any deadly thingsick." Handy Dispensary. "Saved-shall be damned." Damp Cell. "Receive ye the Holy Ghost. Whosoever sins ye remit." Imparted Power. "Tarry in Jerusalem." Resting Sedilia. "Teaching." "Father,

Son, and Holy Ghost." Zealous Athanasius. See creed and history. Ascension. Bethany (Elevated, Heavenly) Picture, in the Greatest Theater. "Many other signs." Many Wonders. "World-would not contain." Stretched World.

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I. I. Quicksilver is associated with Lu. I. I. 2-12. The Mountain ascends to the cloud. Ascension. 13-26. The Stars are assembled (associated) in twelve signs of the zodiac. 18. The Field was associated with Judas. II. A Penny associates with Pentecost. 1-12. The Graphophone approximates (approaches) the speaking tongue. 13-18. Bottles are associated with wine (Glasses are arranged). 19-21. The Telescope announces wonders in the heavens, etc. 22-36. Nails affix to the cross and coffin. 37. Pins attach (aggravate). 38-41. The Fontbaptismal—admits to membership (assoils). 42, 43. The Paten administers the bread. 44-47. Money is added up (accumulates). III. Vines attach themselves and add to the beauty of gates. 12-18. Morning-glories and Prince's-feathers attract (associate with glorified and Prince of Life). 19-21. Grass (Plants) accept rain, refreshing from above. 22-26. Prophet-flowers announce. IV. 1-4. Batons and Stocks associate with arrests. Chairs (Seats) are arranged for councils. 11, 12. Ladders are ascended by builders. 13, 14. Books assist learning, not those men. 23-30. Books (Man-

uals, Liturgies) assist praying with one accord. 31. The Timbers were agitated. 32-37. Boxes accommodate witnesses and contributions. V. 1-11. The Lyrie associates with liars in sound. (Anaconda assimilates to Ananias.) 12-16. The Bodies were assembled (assisted). 17-28. The Bodies absented themselves (astonished all). 29-33, 41, 42. Lions act boldly. 33. Their Hearts ached (acted strangely). 34-40. Game is added to liel to make Gamaliel. 36, 37. Asses assume. Theud-as and Jud-as. VI. 1-8. Refectories and Seminaries (Pantries and Studies) assist (add to) each other (are arranged for ministers). 9-15. The Synagogue and Chamber (Court) arraigned Stephen. VII. San Stefano is associated with S. Stephen. VIII. 1-4. Paul assented (assisted.) 4-40. Philip attempted the first mission. 9-24. Simon is associated with Simony (attempted for gain). 14-17. Peter and John arrived. 27-39. Philip approached and assisted the eunuch. IX. 1-31. The Persecutor arrived at Damascus and Jerusalem. 32-35. The Paralytic arose. 36-43. The Sister arose. X. The Vision appeared to Peter, and the Gospel was announced to and accepted by the Gentiles. XI. 1-18. The Narrow (Pharisaic) Province was agitated. 19-26. The Mediterranean Coast was assigned to Barnabas. 27-30. The Starving Region was assisted. XII. 1, 2. The

Slaying (Jacobite) Sword awakened (aroused) the desire of the Jews (answered Herod's purpose). 3-9. The Escaped (Shaken off) Chains attested miraculous deliverance. 10-19. The Examined Lock (Latch Key) answered all right, but. 20-23. The Dazzling Metal addled (amazed) the people. Josephus XIX. 8, § 2. 24, 25. The Alms (Charity) Money was accepted. XIII. 1-3. Antioch (Departing) Branches (Plants) were authorized. 4-12. The Branching Cypress and Standing (Acid) Limes associate with Cyprus and Elymas. 13. Parting Palms associate with parting in Pamphylia. 14-52. Botanical Anthers and Pistils are analyzed (associated with Antioch and Pisidia). XIV. 1-7. Framed (Paneled, Canvas) Icons—Iconium—are adored in the Eastern Church. 8-18. Paper (Class) Lists—Lystra—are arranged alphabetically. Lame (Ankle) Crutches assist. 19, 20. Dragging Ropes are attached (assist). 21-28. A Retraced Map assures (assists) accuracy. XV. 1-35. Sacrificed (amputated) Flesh (Strangled Beasts, Table Meat) agitated (was arranged by) the Church. 36-41. Sharp Tongues agree to part. XVI. 1-3. A Favored (Happy) Home accounted for Timothy. II. Tim. i: 5, iii: 15. 4-5. Various Cities (established Churches) were apprized of the decrees. 6, 7. Impassable (Changed, Various) Roads

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assayed. 8-11. The Samothracian Ship awaited. (Pagan Cities appeal.) 12, 13. Landing Stages (Wharves) are associated with river sides. 14, 15. Art Galleries (Paint Shops) are associated with colors. 16-40. The Shaken Prison astonished (amazed, agitated). XVII. Base (Anarchic) Thessalonica, Candid Berea and Ancient (Classic, Famous) Athens are arrived at (appropriate this chapter). XVIII. 1-3. Banished Aquila and Priscilla associate (accommodate) Paul with them. Faithful Silas and Timotheus arrived. 6. The Ungrateful Jews were abandoned. 7, 8. Faithful Crispus and Justus accepted. 9-11. Brave Paul abode. 12-17. Careless Gallio was annoyed, simply. 18-23. Shaven and Hastening (Traveling) Paul arrived, in turn, at Ephesus, Jerusalem, etc. 24-28. Alexandrian Apollos arrived. XIX. Confirmation Candidates awaited. 8-10. Hardened Unbelievers were abandoned and Daily (Tvrannous) Disputers were attracted (attended to). 11. 12. The Miraculous Healer administered. 13-20. Vagabond Exorcists attempted and Many (Sacrificing) Converts (Librarians accepted the Gospel and abandoned their books, etc. 21-34. Angry Silversmiths aroused the whole city. 35-41. The Warning Town Clerk appealed to them. XX. 1-6. A Bare Outline (Quarterly Sojourn) is attempted

of these three months. 7-12. The Late (Farewell) Service (Discourse) accounts for (the Dangerous, Careless Sleep and Fall are accounted for). 13-16. Hastening (Daily) Journeys were arranged (accelerated). 17-38. A Passing (Hasty, Sad) Farewell was arranged. XXI. 1-16. The Eastern Coast (Shore) was arrived at and would arrest his journey. 17-26. The Central (Prejudiced) Province must be assured (appeased, allayed). 27-40. A Terrible Dust was aroused. XXII. 1-23. The Rescuing (Secular, Hedging, Imperial) Arms arrested the mob. 24-30. The Leaden (Metal) Tips —of the scourge—were abandoned. XXIII. 1-5. The Priestly Wallfruit was acrid (acid) whited wall. 6-10. Dissenting Tares (Fresh Flax, Seeds of discord) associates with pulled in pieces. 11-24. Deadly Nightshade accords with a murderous conspiracy. (Plentiful Horsemint and Spearmint was arranged.) 25-35. Green Lettuce and Ilex associates with letter to Felix. XXIV. The Venal (Feeling, Trembling) Bench (Seat) was agitated. XXV. Infesting (Festive, Feasting) Pork (Beasts) associate with Porcius Festus. (A Seized Heron associates with Herod Agrippa.) The Imperial Head was appealed to. XXVI. Extra (Influenza) Wards (Hospitals) are arranged for (assigned to) la grippe. Agrippa. XXVII. Successive (Mentioned) Sidon, etc., to

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Melita, were arrived at. (The Wrecking Mediterranean was aroused.) XXVIII. 1-6. Envenomed (Protected) Paul astonished the barbarians. 7-10. Healed (Helped, Benefited) Publius aided (assisted). 11-16. Proceeding (Welcomed) Paul arrived, at Syracuse, Rhegium, Puteoli, and Rome. 17-24. Questioned, Paul answered. 25-29. Prophetic Esaias anticipated (announced). 30, 31. Dwelling, Preaching, Teaching, Paul abode two whole years.

EPISTLES.

The only special rule for the Epistles is: Any adjective, except those in a, means the *Second* epistle. Adjectives in a are required for the few chapters above ten.

ROMANS.

- I. 1-8. The World resounds, "among all nations throughout the whole world." 9-13. A Country reached not yet. 13-17. Countries repay their evangelization. 18-32. The World revealed (ruined, rebuked).
- II. 1-24. The Balances, symbol of law and justice, register (regulate, return, recompense, render) "to every man according to his deeds." 25-29. The Knife of circumcision repays "if thou keep the law."
- III. 1-8. Juniper (Jew's weed) repays to Jews profit. 9-20. The Tree of Adam's temptation Ruins (reprobates) all. 21-31. The Tree of the Cross redeemed all.
 - IV. A Bar restrains (rails off, reserves).
- V. I. The Dove represents "peace." 2. The Heart reenters grace and rejoices. 3-5. The Tongue repeats "patience," "patience," "experience," "hope," "hope." 6-II. The Lamb reconciles and rejoices us. 12-21. The Lamb replaces the serpent.
- VI. 1-14. The Baptistry represents (resembles, reminds of) the Tomb (Mausoleum). 15-23. The Hall rules and rewards (repays) the Kitchen.

VII. Calvary replaces Sinai.

VIII. 1-17. The Spirit revives (raises, reclaims, reunites). 18-25. S. Paul reckons. 26, 27. The Spirit reinforces. 28-32. Calvin is recalled to mind. 33-39. Christ rises (reinforces, rivets).

IX. Brethren (Kinsmen, Fathers, Children, Potter) recall the covenant mercies, predestination, etc.

X. 1-13. Faith Receives (reaches) righteousness. 14-21. The Gospel (Tidings) runs (reaches).

XI. 1-15. Part Land remains and Pagan Land received (reconciled). 16-36. The Grafted Field (Country) rejected or retained.

XII. 1. Alms Basins receive. 2. The Artist Chisels reshape. 3-8. Safe Keys retained or returned, "members," "same office." 9, 10. Marriage (Band) Rings retain or represent the binding force. 11-13. Rapid Money rattles. 14-20. Patient (Restrained, Gracious) Weapons repay.

XIII. 1-7. Plant Orders rule (regulate) Classification. 8-10. Warring Roses reunited. Law established after the "war of the roses." 11-14. The Awakened Daisy (Morning-glory) rises.

XIV. The Arbitrary Bench—judges—regulates (rules) the Family Table "judgment" in meats and eating.

XV. 1-3. Small Animals require help. 4. Ancient Parchments record. 5-7. All Mouths re-

spond as one. 8-21. Pagan Sheep rejoice. 22-33. Spanish Sheep reached, query: by S. Paul?

XVI. Various Houses remember and are remembered. 17–19. Masked (Sham, Awkward) Partitions are removed. 20. Hard Floors resist stamping.

I. CORINTHIANS.

- I. A Country if cut up can't be wise. Divisions and Wisdom.
- II. 1, 2. The Crucifix contains all that symbolized S. Paul's preaching at the time in question. 3–16. The Lance (Scalpel) cuts in and compares like the spirit that searcheth the deep things.
- III. 1-9. Milk weeds and Plants contain water. 10-17. Roots are cut up in digging for foundations. 18-23. Venus' fly-trap catches.
- IV. 1, 2. Cabinets conceal mysteries. 3-5. The Bench contemns very small things to be judged. 7, 8. A Letter contains that which is written, thou didst receive. 8-13. Tables (Chairs, etc.) of rich contrast with Stools and Benches of poor. 14-21. Wills and Books are compared. Fathers and instructors.
- V. The Beast is condemned (cut off). Gross sinner excommunicated.
- VI. 1-8. Courts are convened (crowded) by the worldly. 9-11. Prisons contain such. 12-20. Temples are converted to Brothels.
 - VII. Utah (Turkey) corrupts family life.
- VIII. Graham condemned flesh. Commended vegetable diet.

IX. 1-18. The Apostle (Sister, Wife, Minister, Preacher) can claim *support*. 19-23. The Apostle conciliated all. 24-27. The Athlete controls (conquers) his body.

X. 1-15. Examples confirm (Lust, Idolatry, Fornication, Murmuring, Admonition, Temptation, Constrain). 16-33. Communion can't combine with idolatry. 31. The Glory or Motive characterizes.

XI. 1-16. Natural (H) Air covers the earth. 17-34. The Sandy Desert caught the food from heaven. Manna.

XII. Various Jewels, gifts, and Instruments contribute and combine, divers gifts and instrumentalities.

XIII. The Ancient (Aged) Cherry-tree, Charity, continues, abideth.

XIV. Untranslated Books confuse.

XV. Raised (Saved) Bodies can't corrupt.

XVI. 1-4. Saving Banks collect the small savings. 5-7. Plain (Safe) Roads conduct (carry us) safely. 8, 9. Great (Safe) Houses close their doors against adversaries. 10-12. Safe Roads conduct safely. 13, 14. Safe Houses care for defense and order. 15-24. Various Houses are commended.

II. CORINTHIANS.

Where there are 2d Epistles, adjectives in a still serve their general use, to add 10. The other adjectives in e, i, o, u, are used to indicate the 2d Epistle.

I. 1-12. The Sorrowful (Troublesome) World comforts and consoles not. 13-24. The Repeating—yea—nay—(Asseverating, Equivocating) World confirms not.

II. 1-11. Tear Bottles commemorated sorrow, repentance, forgiveness, Ps. lvi: 8. 12, 13. Tight Keys catch, Titus, door. 14-17. Leaky (Imperfect) Jars corrupt. Savory, preserves, etc.

III. 1-6. Flower Pistils are covered with pollen (cover the bees' legs). 7-18. The Climbing Morning-glory clings.

IV. 1-6. Window Blinds conceal. 7. Wooden Boxes collapse sometimes. Earthen vessels. 8-11. Police Clubs compel a way, e. g., in a persecuting mob. 12-18. Outer (Outward) Coffins contain (cover, conceal) the inner.

V. 1-10. Groaning (Burdened, Unclothed) Bodies will be clothed (covered). 11-15. Terrified Hearts constrain us. 16-21. New (Young) Creatures are conciliated easily.

VI. 1. Work Shops contain many workers to-

gether. 2. Revival Chapels call, now is the accepted time. 3-13. Clergy Houses contain various departments. 4, 5. Reformatory Prison confine. 6, 7. Theological Seminaries cultivate. 8, 9. Intelligence Offices convey. 10. Relief Stations (Poor Houses) collect (contribute). 14-18. Union and Dissenting Chapels conflict and confuse sometimes.

VII. **Sorrowing** (Repenting) **Corinth comforts** (Sorrowing Macedonia is comforted).

VIII. 1-5. Liberal Macedonians contribute. 6-24. Zealous Titus and Corinthians are to cooperate (collect).

IX. Liberal Givers (Boasters, Reapers, etc.) contribute and collect.

X. 1-6. Meek Warfare captivates and casts down. 7-18. Foolish Boastings (Commendings, Comparisons, Measurings) are condemned.

XI. 1-15. Jealous Favored Regions are cared for. 16-33. Persecuting Dangerous (Various, Hating, Fanatical, Native, Pagan, Damascan) Lands and Seas are counted.

XII. 1-10. Ground Glass Lenses collect (concentrate). 7-10. Neglected Barbed Wires cut. 11-13. Self's Famed Trumpet commends not. 14-21. Spend Gained (Saved, Gambling) Money compensates not.

XIII. The Thrice Spared Tree cut not.

GALATIANS.

- I. 1-14. Regions give up (go back from) the pure Gospel. 15-24. Regions are gone away from or to.
- II. 1, 2. Money goes up with S. Paul for the poor. 3, 4. Spy-glasses get in. 5-9. The Knife is given over specially to S. Peter. 10. Money was gathered and given. 11-17. Mirrors give back image, face to face. 18. Tools are not gathered but given up. 19-21. The Band (Link, Chain) goes deep.
- III. 1. Witch-hazel is gathered easily. 2-29. Seed germinates. Abraham's seed. 13. A Tree glorified. 14-29. The Birch governs when taken to school.
- IV. 1-7. The Rod governs. 7. The Will gives to the heir. 8-18. Bread is given beggarly elements. Would have given them unto me. 19-31. The Cradle governs (goes).
- V. 1-6. Cattle are galled by yoke. 7. Horses gallop or go well, as well as run well. 8-12. Leaven grows (germinates). 13-36. Flesh is governed. 19-22. Beasts grovel and growl. 22-26. Lambs and Doves are gentle (give in).
- VI. 1. Prisons guard. 2-5. Workhouses give board and work. 6. Parsonages get and give. 7-10. Granaries garner. 11-16. The Cross is glorified. 17. Prisons guard (gall) the body.

EPHESIANS.

- I. The World (Earth, Heavens, etc.) was founded (Fore-ordained, furnished, filled) for the adopted children.
- II. 1-5. The **Telegraph** (Battery, Motor) flies (fills, furnishes) motion. The dead quickened. 4-10. **Crowns flash** (furnish, flourish). 11-13. The **Anchor fails** not, hope. 14-22. **Stones fall** when middle wall of partition is broken down. (Stones are fitted. 20, 21, 22.)
- III. 1-8. Gentian is filtered for tonic. Gentiles. 9-21. Forests are filled. Unsearchable riches, mystery, hid, boldness, access, riches, rooted and grounded, breadth and length.
- IV. 1-6. Spokes (Wheels) focus to one center. 7-13. Ladders fall sometimes when ascending and descending, and Measures are filled full. 14. Sails fill (flap, flatten). 15, 16. Images are fitted together. 17-23. Books fill the mind with understanding, ignorance, taught, learned. 22-24. Cottons fade, put off and put on. 25. Papers are filled. 26-28. Windows are fastened. 29. Tobacco fills some mouths sometimes. 30. Letters (Boxes) are filled and sealed. 31, 32. The Curtain falls opportunely on such scenes.

V. 1, 2. Lambs follow and furnish an offering and sacrifice. 3-5. Beasts (Swine) fill their mouths with unclean, filthy things. 6, 7. Serpents fear, deceivers fear the wrath of God. 9-14. Owls (Bats) fear the light. 15-17. Cats, etc., feel their way circumspectly. See Talmage on this text. 18. Beasts (Swine) fill. 19, 20. Lambs Frolic. 21-33. Head, Flesh, Bones, etc., form one whole.

VI. 1-9. Homes foster relations between parents and children, servants and masters. 10-24. Armories furnish whole armors.

PHILIPPIANS.

- I. 1-11. A Province is praised (performs, partakes, perfected, proves). 12-18. The Provinces (and Regions) Profit by the furtherance of the Gospel; even through envy and strife at home, as in that case. 19-30. No Region (Country) is preferred.
- II. 1, 2. A Cup is poured *into*. 3, 4. Jewelry is put off. 5-11. Jewelry is pilfered (purloined) and a Crown is purchased (placed). 12-14. Tools are plied. 15. Reflectors are polished. 16. Vanes point, vain. 17, 18. Bells proclaim joy. 19-24. Money is pursued. 25-30. Bottles (Vials) physic (poison, pour out).
- III. 1. Only Grapes pressed prove safe, unfermented, say some. 2. Dogwood peels. 3-6. A Stock is planted (propagated). 7-9. Weeds are picked (plucked) out. 10-16. Arbor-vitæ persists. 17-20. Tares are pointed out. 21. Weeds (parasites) perish (Vines are purged).
- IV. 1. A Stand is placed, stand fast. 2, 3. The Letter (Book) Preserves unity between E. and S. and the other names. 4-7. Wine (Liquor) preserves not joy, moderation, carefulness, peace. 8, 9. Books preserve (praise). 10-23. A Box is provided (packed, presented).

COLOSSIANS.

- I. 1-8. The Heavens lay up hope in God's love, in clouds which come unto you and all the world and bringeth forth fruit. 9-29. The Heavens (Planets, Stars) lead us to pray—desire to be filled with knowledge—the glorious power—give thanks for Saints in Light—deliverance from power of darkness, the invisible God. All things created that are in the heavens. All fulness—all reconciled, every creature fill up that which is behind, hope of glory, all wisdom, etc.
- II. Arms are Loaded, conflict. Laodicea. 2. Rings (Chains) link, knit together in love. 3. Money is laid up or by, treasures hid. 4. Gilding lures the eye, beguiled, enticing. 5. The Telescope looks, absent, beholding. 6, 7. Bricks are laid, walk, built up. 8-10. The Key that locks and unlocks dwelleth complete in Him. 11. The Sword looseth, putting off the body of sins. 12, 13. The Spade lifts the earth, buried dead. 14. Pens line (lie) (Nails loosen not). 15. Crowns are lifted. 16, 17. Dishes are left out of consideration. 18, 19. Images lure the superstitious. 20-23. Dishes are left, touch, taste, satisfying of the flesh.
- III. 1, 2. Vines look up and lay hold. 3, 4. Morning-glories look from the hiding leaves.

5-10. Plants lose and leave again, leave off, put off, and put on. 11. Fleur de Lis (Rose, Thistle, Shamrock, etc.) left out of consideration—nationality. 12-15. Violets and Olives are lowly and lovely, humility, love, peace. 16. The Woods listen to bird songs. 17. The Dewberry leaves (Alders love the water) do all. 18-25. The Holm lasts (Heartsease lives) under right domestic care.

IV. 1. The Towel lowered not Him who girded Himself with it to teach humility. John xiii: 4. 2-5. A Door is left open. 6. The Table is laid. 7, 8. Bed-ticks last with faithful servants. Tych-icus. 9-15. Nests, Onesimus, Paper, Marc-us, Papyrus, Epaphras, et al., are left to be mentioned last. 16. The Letter must be lent. 17, 18. Chips are left last. Archippus.

I. THESSALONIANS.

- I. The Wind sounds the labor of love, in power and the Holy Ghost, sounds out.
- II. 1-4. Keys secure entrance in, put in trust. 5-9. Money is sought (sufficient). Cloak of covetousness, might have been burdensome, imparted, laboring, chargeable. 10-13. Slates show how children study, behoved, his children, walk worthy, received the word. 14-16. Jewelry shows off, Judea, Jews. 17, 18. Shackles (Bolts) secure from leaving. 19, 20. Crowns shine.
- III. 1-7. Willows (Wormwood, Rue, Bittersweet) suggest (signify) comfort, affliction, tribulation, distress. 8-13. Roots stablish (strengthen, steady), stand fast, perfect, stablish.
- IV. 1. A Stick steadies walk. 2-8. Chests secure, possess his vessel, defraud. 9-12. Handles save (supply, secure) working with your own hands. 13-18. Ropes (Basket, seat) secure (swing) balloon ascension.
- V. 1-11. Mastiffs sleep not. 12, 13. The Head supervises (superintends) the body. 14-22. Animals suggest, e. g.: unruly bears, brutes; feeble, weak, patient lambs, doves; evil for evil brutes; rejoicing larks, hold fast, leech, bulldogs; appearance of evil, fox, opossum. 23-28. The Body is sanctified.

II. THESSALONIANS.

- I. 1-5. A Growing (Abounding) Country satisfies. 6-12. Revealing (Avenging, Glorious) Heavens are seen.
- II. The Roman Crown symbolizes (signifies, suggests).
- III. Choking Weeds (Tares) sought out and Neglected Crops are seen to.

I. TIMOTHY.

- I. 1-11. Countries misuse (maintain) doctrines and laws. 12-16. The World is ministered to by Christ and S. Paul. 17. The Elements magnify. 18-20. The Winds mangle, shipwreck.
- II. 1-8. Crowns maintain peace, etc., and Bells monish us to prayer. 9-15. Jewels (Money) make fools of some. Thimbles (Needles) make useful women.
- III. 1-14. Hyssop ministers. Bishops and other ministers. 15, 16. Vines (Trees) mount up, ground, pillar, received up. 16. Seeds are mysterious.
- IV. 1, 2. Spirits, Liquor, Gin, Whiskey, muddle the mind. 3-6. Tables minister, meats, every good creature, nourish. 7-16. Books minister (multiply, maintain).
- V. The Hair monishes of age, elders. 18. The Ox muzzles not. 22. Hands minister, ordination. 23. Stomachs make us change diet. 24, 25. Heads (Tails) march on before and behind.
- VI. 1, 2. Hall and Barn minister, mutually servant, master, yoke, brethren. 3-5. Conventicles magnify differences. 6-11. Mints make money. (Banks mass money.) 12. Ports (Breastworks, Bulwarks) make us bold. 13-16. Palaces manifest royalty. 17-19. Mints make money (Banks mass money). 20, 21. Conventicles magnify little differences.

II. TIMOTHY.

- I. 1-7. Mother Earth magnifies her gifts if stirred up. Mother Eunice. 4. The Heavenly Rainbow mingles tears and joy. 8-11. The Lighted World manifests the power of God—manifest, light. 12-14. The Solid Earth maintains, keep, hold fast, that committed to it. 15-18. A Roman Province is mentioned. Rome, Asia.
- II. 1, 2. Committed Keys maintain what is intrusted. 3, 4. Mixed Armor muddles. 5. Stolen Crowns misfit. 6. Busy Tools manage to subsist. 7–10. Material Chains manacle not the Word of God. 11–13. Martyr Crowns magnify the glory. 14. Striving (Profitless) Pens muddle (mislead). 16–18. Vile Pens mislead. 19. The Struck Die marks seal. 20–21. Gold and Silver Vessels mingle with those of wood, earth. 22–26. Peaceful Pens mollify.
- III. 1-9. 13. Vilest Weeds multiply. 10-12. Pauline Passion-flowers multiply. 14-17. In spired Pens minister.
- IV. 1-5. A Popular Pulpit may mislead. 6-12. The Final (Closing) Letter is mailed. (Mentions things easily associated.)

TITUS.

- I. 1-4. The World took time to begin, but the promise, etc. 5-16. An Island is told of—v. 12—that talks, tattles, etc. 6-9. The Diocese is trained (tended, taught) by Bishops. 15, 16. The Air is tainted.
- II. 1. Bells tingle (toll), sound. 2, 3. Spectacles and Ear-trumpets tell of age and teaching. 4, 5. Needles (Thimbles, Scissors) tell of domesticity. 6. The Glass tempts. 7, 8. Bells toll, sound. 9, 10. Dishes (Plate, etc.) tell of (tempt) careless servants. 11-15. The Crucible tries. Judgment at second coming of Christ. Purity.
- III. 1, 2. The Oak towers above the violet, royalty and meekness. 3-7. Thorns are transformed (Hyssop transforms). 8. Crops are tilled, good works profitable. 9. Trees (Branches) are traced. Family trees, genealogy. 10, 11. Branches are trimmed off. 12-15. Artemesia (Tick-weed, etc.) is tended. 14. Crops are tilled.

PHILEMON.

May suggest **Philanthropic**, and all hangs together by natural association.

HEBREWS.

- I. 1, 2. The Sun heats. Sundry. Water hides divers. 2-14. The World (Earth) under the Heavens are held up by the Sun.
- II. 1. Nails hold, slip. 2. Pennies help, recompense of reward. 3. Chains hold us, how shall we escape? 4. Tin hangs sign. Money helps, gifts. 5. The Crown holds in subjection. 6. The Bell is heard, visitor. 7-9. The Crown holds, set Him over, subjection. 9, 10. The Cup heals, taste, perfect through suffering. 11, 12. Chandeliers hang in the midst of the church, all in one, brethren. 13, 14. Knives (Forks, Dishes) are held (help) by children partakers, soon as old enough to handle. 15. Chains held. 16-18. The Breastplate held their names.
- III. Vines hang over the house. Vine out of Egypt

 —Israel. The Heart Hardens in the oak.
- IV. 1-11. Hammocks hang (Beds, Chairs, hold, help us) in rest. 12, 13. Doors hide (hinder) not. 14, 15. Handles hold (help) hold fast. 16. Rails help, altar rails.
- V. 1-5. Beasts were hallowed (held) by priests. 6-11. Malchiidæ (Malacosteidæ) hover. 12-14. Milk and Meat help the weak.

VI. 1-6. Foundations heve up, have to be relaid. 7-9. Furnaces are heated, whose end is to be burned. 10. Hospices help minister to the saints. 11-15. Stores (Treasuries) are heaped. 16, 17. Courts hold men to their oaths. 18-20. Ships hold by the anchor.

VII. Salem had (held) Melchisedec.

VIII. 1-4. Christ hath somewhat also to offer. 5. Moses is heeded. 6-13. Jeremiah heard (hoped for) this. Jer. xxxi:31-34.

IX. Guides hurry along in describing many articles. High-priest and Priests held on till Christ came. Mediators harmonize. Testators hand down property.

X. 1-26. Sacrifices held on till Christ fulfilled. 1-2. Shadows hover, Perfection is hopeless. 3. Remembrance is held. 4. Forms are hopeless. 5-10. The Will is holy. Fulfilment is hastened. 11-14. Repetition is hopeless (helpless). 15-18. Conversion (Inwardness) heals. 19-22. Boldness (Assurance) helps. 23. Professions held fast. 24, 25. Assemblings and Exhortations help. 26-31. Vengeance and Judgment hasten. 32-34. Persecutions are hurled. 35. Recompense (Reward) hastens. 36, 37. Patience helps. 38, 39. Justice and Faith hold back from perdition.

XI. The Faithful Clouds hang (hover, help). xii:I.

XII. 1, 2. The Weighted Compass and Patient Crowns hang. 3-11. The Great (Fastened) Chase holds the type, chastening. 12-15. Sharp (Straight, Garden) Spades are handled, hands, straight paths, follow, lest any root. 16, 17. Savory Pots hang (have more attraction). 18, 19. The Awful Trumpet is heard. 20, 21. The Fatal Dart is hurled. 22-24. The Saintly Harps, golden, are heard. 25-29. The Last (Shaking) Trumpet is heard.

XIII. 1. Quaker Vines hang on. 2. The Pale (Garden) Angelica hangs. 3. Embracing Vines hold together. 4. Marriage Flowers are held by (hang on) the bride. 5, 6. Patient Heartsease hopes (helps). 7, 8. Patient (Fall) Everlasting hangs on. 9, 10. Savory Vegetables help the meats. 11-14. Large Forests hem (hide) Cities. 15, 16. Sacrificed Fruits help. 17. Happy (Watchful) Goldenrod is helpful, profitable. 18-25. Raised up Bleeding Heart is happy, well pleased.

JAMES.

- I. 1. The Lands await (are abroad). 2-4. The World awaited God's time. 5-8. Seas are agitated (ask not). 9-11. The Sun arises. 12-15. The Island attracted Ulysses, temptation. 16-21. The Earth awaits gifts from above, first fruits, slow, receive. 22-25. The World aids (affords, support to) doers, not hearers only. 26. Water awaits till the bridle of the horse is loosed. 27. Water assoils, pure, undefiled, unspotted.
- II. 1-9. Rings attract (announce, attest) the rich, gay. 10-11. The Probe is applied all around (Key answers not every door). 12. The Bell announced liberty at Philadelphia. 13. The Balance is applied (appealed to), judgment, equal. 14-26. Tools await. Apply them, work.
- III. Adder's-tongue appears in the Spring, and Wormwood adds to bitterness.
- IV. 1-5. Newspapers announce (arouse, antagonize, ask). 6, 7. Clubs aid (assist), resist, submit, police. 8. Tubs (Washstands) are approached, draw nigh, cleanse your hands. 9, 10. The Bier (Coffin) approached. 11, 12. The Bar assists

(arraigns) the bench. 13-17. Boxes arrive (are arranged).

V. I. Wolves awake (arouse). 2. Moths attack. 3. The Flesh aches. 4. The Ear attends. 5. The Heart absorbs, hearts nourished. 6-II. Oxen and Sheep accept (await). 12. Horses attract attention by neighing, nay, nay. 13. The Body is afflicted. Crickets awake, "merry as a cricket." 14, 15. The Body is anointed. 16-18. The Mouth (Lips, Tongue) asks confession and prayer. 19, 20. The Feet are arrested from the error of the way. (A friendly hand arrests.)

I. PETER.

- I. 1, 2. Countries are elect. 3-5. Land is entailed, inheritance, reserved, kept. 6, 7. Gold endures, when tried (exceeds in value, more precious).

 8. Clouds enclose (envelope), not seen. See Him not.

 10-12. The Heavens are examined by astronomers and astrologers. Searched diligently, revealed from heaven, angels desired to look into.

 13. The Zone encircles the earth, gird.

 14-17. The Ice entices, but obedient children pass in fear.

 15, 16. Ice excludes all impurities, holiness.

 18, 19. Gold and Silver entice to corruption.

 20, 21. The World endures, foundation of the world.

 22. Water is employed, purified, pure.

 23-25. The World endures, abideth forever, endureth forever.
- II. 1, 2. Cups (Mugs, Spoons) are engraved, presents at Christenings, babes, milk, tested. 4-8. Stones are engraved (esteemed, erected, elevated), precious stone, head-stone, corner-stone. 9, 10. Censers (Monstrances, Chalices) are elevated, priesthood. Lamps enlighten darkness into light. 11-12. Arms are essential (employed) by strangers and pilgrims, warring among foreigners, Gentiles. 13-17. Crowns are entitled to obedience and honor, etc. 16. Clasps

insure cloaks. 18-20. Buffers ease cars, buffeted. 21-24. Nails and Spear were endured for us. 25. Rings are engraved with Bishops' crest or seal.

III. 1-6. Flowers (Violets, Lilies) embellish, meek and quiet, chaste adorning, ornament. 7. The Oak elevates, the Ivy embraces. 8-18. The Olive-branch and Passion-flower are extended (extolled) peace, compassion, etc. 10, 11. Tobacco is eschewed by some, chewed by others. 19, 20. Nightshade (Hemlock) ends life. Prisoners hemmed and locked in. 21, 22. The Branch is exalted. Jer. xxiii: 5.

IV. 1, 2. The Cross is embraced. 3, 4. Wine excites, excess, revelings, banquetings. 5, 6. The Bench expects (expounds), judge waits. The Pulpit and Coffin exhort, preached to dead. 7. The Prie dieu is embraced. 8. The Veil (Sheet) extends (extenuates), covers a multitude. 9. The Latch-string extends. 10, 11. Pulpits elevate. 12-19. Fagots exalted (embraced by) martyrs, and the Bench expects—judge waits the wicked.

V. 1-4. The Flock is edified (ensampled). 5-7. Sheep and Doves exemplify the humble and meek. 8, 9. Lions endeavor, seeking. 10, 11. The Lamb exalts us and is exalted. 12-14. The Flock is exhorted and Hand extended in salutation.

I. 1-4. Precious Ore ensures (exceeds, enhances) all things that pertain to life, materially, and helps to obtain knowledge. Also escapes corruption in the earth. 5-11. Precious Strata enriches (ensures). Strata, layer added to layer, add to, etc., abound, unfruitful, calling and election sure, abundantly. 12-15. A Burial Ground evidences that shortly we put off this tabernacle. 16-18. The Holy Mount evidenced (exhibited, established) the divinity of Jesus. 19. The Real (Divine, Promised) Star elevates, arises. 20, 21. Interpreted Stars erred, astrology.

II. 1-3. Counterfeit Coins elude (escape) detection, not for a long time, false, bought, merchandise.

4. Angelic (Hellish) Chains encircle (embrace).

5-8. Fire Bells excite thoughts of fire and water.

The Flood and Sodom and Gomorrah. 9-11. Delivering Arms and Strong Shackles (Bolts) ensure, deliver, reserved, to be punished, despise government, railing. 12. Ready Guns ensure game. 13-16. Bribe Money ensures, reward of unrighteousness, beguiling, covetous. 17. Every Jar is emptied (exhausted).

18-22. Tempting (Fettering, Treacherous) Chains are escaped (ensnare, entangle, enslave). 22. Dog Chains embolden sows to go back.

III. 1, 2. Pure Forget-me-nots are enclosed in (end) the epistle. 3-8. Vigorous Everlastings (Immortelles, Century-plants) endure. 5. Pond Lilies extend from the ground out of the water. 8. Century Plants exceed daisies in age. 10-15. Deadly Nightshade ends life. 16, 17. Wrested (Wrenched) Pistils endanger the flower. 18. Growing Plants extend (expand) their roots, understandings.

I. JOHN.

- I. The Sun opens the day, overcomes darkness, overturns deception.
- II. I. Slates obliterate easily, suitable for little children to learn on. 1, 2. The Chalice is offered in memorial of propitiation, words in Holy Communion office. 3-8. Stones were ordered, commandments to Moses, old and new commandments. 9-11. A Lamp is obscured. 12-14. The Pen offers means of communicating with a variety of classes. 15-17. Money (Jewelry, Crowns, etc.) are opposed to God if loved. 18. The Bell (Clock) orders (is obeyed by) little children, it is the last time, go to bed, school, etc. 19. A Key opened the door, they went out. 20-29. The Key that opens all things is knowledge, know. The Lock opposes going out, abide.
- III. 1. Sun-flowers open to (obey) the sun, Son.
 2. Morning-glories open to the appearing sun.
 3. Lilies open in water, both symbols of purity.
 4-10. Seeds that are opposed in nature produce opposites.
 4-7. Vines order the branches as to what they shall be.
 8. Devil's-apples were offered from the beginning.
 11-24. Flowers are offered to suggest love, often.

12-17. Fruits (Cane) are offered. 18-21. Hearts-ease is offered to whosoever loves.

IV. 1-6. Spirits overcome (obscure) the mind. 7-21. Wine is overpassed, love better than wine. Song S. i: 2, overflows. Is. lv: I, Jo. ii.

V. 1-3. Lambs obey, love and obedience. 4, 5. Lions overcome most creatures. 6-13. Blood is observed, blood, life, witness. 14-16. The Ear, Mouth, and Eye are opened, pray, ask, see. 17-19. The Serpent overcomes multitudes. 20. The Eye is opened, we see, know. 21. Hands are off.

II. JOHN.

Since there are no chapter numbers, a pronoun, which equals nothing, may take the place of noun. Mnemonics are hardly needed, but such a sentence as this may serve for association: Elect, Thou art obedient, the children and house.

III. JOHN.

Two adjectives = III.

Well Beloved Thou oughtest to prosper, to receive brethren and strangers, and to follow not that which is evil but that which is good. 9-10. Preeminence loving He opposes. 12. Well Reported He ought to be commended.

JUDE.

Pronoun instead of Chap. numbers. U = Jude. 1-3. I urge that thou be unshaken. 4. They are ungodly, unawares, undermine the faith. 5. They are unbelieving. 6. They are unsettled. 7, 8. Such are unclean. 9, 10. He was unrebuked. They understand not. 11-19. Such are unruly, unrestrained, unlawful, ungodly, and unclean. 20. Be upbuilt. 22, 23. Use discrimination. 24, 25. He upholds.

REVELATION.

I. 1-11. The Isle is reached from Asia. 7. The Clouds shall robe and reveal. 12-20. The Stars represent the angels. 14-16. Snow, Fire, Water, and Sun resembled the hair, etc. II. 1-7. Images of silver, were retailed at Ephesus. Tools remind of work and labor (are remembered). Candlesticks may be removed. Necklace resembles Nicolaitanes. Tools are reached up to the tree. Tree of Life. 8-11. Urn resembles Smyrna. Tool, Rivet, Money, Jewelry, Key, Crown, and Sword remind, respectively, of work, tribulation, poverty, Jews, prison, life, and second death. 12-17. Epern may recall Pergamos. The Sword represented the word. A Tripod rests, Satan's seat. The Sword reached Antipas. The Bail raises the bucket—metal, Balaam. Necklace resembles Nicolaitanes. A Dish resembles white stone, manna. 18-29.-A Tire (Tiara) resembles Thyatira. Lamp, Tools, Money, and Service-plate-remind, respectively, of flame, works, charity, and service. A Bell reminds of Jezebel. Probes (Scalpels) reach to the veins and heart. A Rod-of iron-rules, and Vessels are ruined. Stars-medals, orders-reward. III. 1-6. Sward (sod) reminds of Sardis.

Spirea and Star-grass remind of spirits and stars. The Fig-tree—barren—recalls deceitful life. The Forget-me-not and Nightshade remind of remember and thief. Tendrils retain, hold fast. Lilies remind of undefiled and white raiment. 7-13. Phillysia reminds of Philadelphia. Venus' Fly-trap resembles a door that opens and shuts. Devil's-tree reminds of Satan. Apples recall the temptation. Roots retain, hold fast. Trunks-of trees-resemble pillars. 14-22. The Lotus (Lady's-slipper) reminds of Laodiceans. Rue is repeated in true. Aloes reminds of spew. Fig-leaves, Goldenrod, Lilies, and Iris remind, respectively, of naked, gold, white, and eyes. The Birch rebukes. Bramble (Vines, Weed) at the door recalls Hunt's picture, "Light of the World." Settings-plant-remind of sit, am set. IV. The Door revealed (revolved, opened) and Seats were ranged around. Pictures of this are reproduced (represented), e.g., in the ceiling of Ely Cathedral, V. Parchment and Wax remind of books and seals. The Lion and Lamb remove the seals. The Beasts (Creatures) reverence. Mouths repeat praise. The Ear is ravished with such song. VI. 1-7. Stables remind of (are required for) horses. 9-11. Altars rise over (rest upon) tombs. 12-17. Ruins recall earthquake. Theaters (Panoramas) reproduce (represent) great scenes.

VII. 1. Europe, Asia, Africa, and America reach to the four quarters of the earth. 2. Asia reaches towards the east. 3-8. Canaan (Palestine) was redistributed to the twelve tribes. 9-17. Heaven is represented, resounds with praise, recompenses (repays) tribulation. VIII. Gabriel reminds of angels with trumpets. 3-5. Aaron reminds of censers and incense. Nebuchadnezzar, Jonah, Lucifer, and Phaeton remind, respectively, of grass, cast into the sea, fell from heaven and sun, smitten. IX. 1-12. Pitmen resemble smoke. 4-6. The Unsealed remained five months. 11-12. Apologist resembles Apollyon. 13-15. Rivermen (Watermen) row. 16-21. Horsemen ride. 20, 21. Reprobates (Idolaters, etc.) repent not. X. 1, 2. His Greatness (Grandeur, etc.) resembled the sun, etc. 3-6. The Voice, Thunders and Oath resounded. 6, 7. Time and the Mystery remain no longer, but, 8-11, Bitterness and Prophecy remain. XI. 1, 2. The Sacred Hill reached beyond the temple to the city, measure. 3. The Daily Sun rises, days. 4. The Planted Earth of God represents a mystery. 5, 6. The Restrained (Retaining) Skies rain not. 7. The Black Pit (Dark Valley) retains (renders up) the beast. 8-11. The Graveless Earth received (rejected) these. 12. The Great (Chariot) Cloud received (raised). 13. The Quaking Earth rocks (reels). 14-17. Reigning King-

doms are regained. 18. Angry (Wrathful) Countries rage. 19. The Quaking Earth and Great Hail are revealed. XII. 1-6. The Starry (Dragon) Crown and Reigning Rod rule. 7-17. Satanic Arms rallied and rebelled. XIII. A Dangerous (Savage, Game) Wood retains beasts. 10. Variegated Heartsease reminds of the patience of the Saints. 16, 17. Marked (Blazed) Trees represent the line. XIV. 1-5. Saintly (Immaculate) Linen robed (reminds of those). 6, 7. Carried (Scattered) Testaments (Bibles) reach every nation, kindred, etc. 8-11. The Wrathful Wine revenges (is returned, repaid). 12, 13. Patient (Saintly) Beds (Biers, Coffins) rest (recall these words). 14-20. The Gathered Bread and Wine are reaped, harvest, grapes, sickles, reap. XV. 1, 5-8. Plaguing Beasts ravage. 2. Glassy fish remind of sea of glass. 3, 4. Chanting (saved) Lambs rejoice (raise the voice). XVI. An Awful (Wrathful) Dispensary (Hospital, Laboratory) reminds of vials poured out. 1-6. An Awful Hospital (Morgue, Shambles, a Slaughter House) reeks with (reminds of) blood. 7. The Audible Altar responded (replied). 8, 9. The Awful (Wrathful, Blasphemous) Furnace roared (roasted). 10, 11. A Dark (Gnawing, Painful, Blaspheming) Dungeon retains. 12. Prepared Ways are repaired. 13, 14. Nasty (False) Sewers repulse. 15. Watch-Towers

report (rise). 16. Gathered Arms rally. Armageddon. 17, 18. The Shaken Temple and Throne reverberate. 19. The Parted City was rent (remembered). 20, 21. Hail Sheds are required. XVII. Ancient (Damnable, Harlotry) Babylon (Rome) is represented (ruined). XVIII. Fallen (Extravagant, Dainty, Vain) Jezebel (Cleopatra) reminds of this. XIX. 1-3. Salvation Singers rejoice. 2. The Great Whore is repaid. 4. The Answering Elders respond. 5-8. Praising Servants rejoice. 7-9. The Lamblike Bride is ready. 10. The Same Servant refused worship. 11-16. The Immaculate Horseman rides and rules (reigns). 16. The Greatest King and Lord reigns. 17-21. The Standing (Waiting, Calling, Catering, Carving) Angel regathers. XX. 1-7. The Great Millennium restrains Satan. 5-6. The Advance -first-Resurrection releases (relieves) from the second death. 7-10. Great Deception shall rally nations to war. 11-15. The Great Judgment and Last (Great) Death are revealed. XXI. 1-5. A New (Fresh) Heavens and a New Earth are revealed. 6. Free (Fresh) Water refreshes. 7. The Inherited Earth repays him that overcomes. 8. Endless Fire and Brimstone repay (are reaped by) such. 9, 10. The Eternal (Elevated) Mountain rises to view (reveals). 11-22. Clear Crystal (Glass)

Precious Stones (Jasper, etc.) reflect (refract, are resplendent). 23-27. The Needless (Temporal, Material) Sun and Moon retire. XXII. The Heavenly Telescope reveals. 5. Heavenly Lamps are not required. 7-11. Reserving Dies and Clasps (Locks, Chains) retain, seal, book. 12. Eternal Coin repays (rewards). 13-15. The Heavenly (Eternal) Key responds or refuses to open. 16. Steel Springs may remind of offspring. 17. The Free (Eternal, Heavenly) Cup (Chalice) refuse not (is refused by many). 18-21. The Testifying (Jealous, Reserving) Pen records. (Amending, Irreverent, Meddling Pens are to be restrained, rejected.)



Appendixes.



APPENDIX A.

ORDER OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE.

A Few Sentences by which beginners may quickly learn and easily remember the books of the Bible and their place, namely: They generally expected of Levites a number of duties. Genesis, Exodus, Leviticus Numbers Deuteronomy After Moses Joshua, then other judges ruled till Samuel Judges, Ruth, I. and II. Samuel Joshua, made Kings, whose chronicles were by Ezra, who I. & II. Kings, I. & II. Chronicles, Ezra. newly established joyful psalmody and provided ecclesi-Job, Psalms, Nehemiah, Esther, Proberbs, Ecclesiastical songs and solemnities. I sigh for Jeremiah's Solomon, Isaiah, Teremiah. astes, Song of lamenting zeal, and Daniel, whose jail (Babylon) was near Lamentations, Ezekiel, Daniel, Hosea, Joel, where a most obedient (?) Jonah was sent (Nineveh). To my car, Amos, Obadiah, Jonah, Micah. named on the back Zephyr, hangs a sack of mail. Nahum, Habakkuk, Zephaniah, Haggai, Zechariah, Malachi. Matthew remarked: "Look how John acts." They rowed Luke, Matthew. Mark. John, Acts, Romans. two Corinthian galleys from Ephesus, filled with a I. and II. Corinthians, Galatians, Ephesians, Philippians, collection, to Thessaly, too timid and tied Colossians, I. and II. Thessalonians, I. and II. Timothy, Titus.

to a file of Hebrews, viz: James, Peter, John, and Jude,

*Philemon, Hebrews, James, Peter, John, Jude,

with revelation.

Revelations.

Note that the vowels of Jas., Pet., Jo., and Jude are in alphabetical order, a, e, o, u, and that there is one book of the first, Jas., two of the second, Pet., and three of the third, Jo.

For those a little older a more intelligent way for the historical books is to fix in mind the order by means of the names and contents of the books. Thus Genesis, meaning creation, contains all that is recorded from the creation up to the Exodus or "going out" from Egypt. A main object of the going out was to worship God. And those who were especially to attend to that were the Levites. Before leaving the wilderness there was again a Numbering of the people. There was also a second statement of the law, etc., which is the meaning of Deuteronomy. These are called the five books of Moses. The successor of Moses was Joshua. Joshua was first among and succeeded by other Judges. Ruth was an ancestor of the greatest of the kings; but Samuel was the last of the judges and anointed the first Kings. The Kings reigned till the Captivity; during or after which the Chronicles were written or compiled, it is supposed by Ezra, who was a captive like Nehemiah and Esther; after which is placed the book of Job of doubtful date. The books from Job to the Prophets remind us slightly of a common order of public worship. First is a Job-like mournfulness of confession, followed by a psalm of praise, then a lesson, like the instructive proverbs, then the "preacher, or Ecclesiastes," then the closing song.

As the other books are placed arbitrarily, from the Prophets

on, there is no other way to learn their order quickly than by such sentences as are given in the first plan above. Or, the old plan of mnemonic "pegs" or "hooks" may be used as simplified in the cosmic system; as below.

WORDS FOR REMEMBERING THE ORDER OF THE BOOKS OF THE BIBLE BY THE COSMIC SYSTEM.

Gen. 1. World (Gem). Ex. 2. Ax. Lev. 3. Leaves. Num. 4. Lumber. Deut. 5. Newt. Jos. 6. Josshouse. Jud. 7. Judea. Ruth. 8. Ruth. I. Sam. 9. Sampler. II. Sam. 10. Samples (Examples). I. Kings. 11. Sacred Kingdom. II. Kings. 12. Sacred Crowns. I. Chron. 13. Saffron Crocus. II. Chron. 14. Pastoral Crook. Ezra. 15. African Zebra (Zerda). Neh. 16. Bad Road (knee high mire). Esth. 17. Baltic Esthonia. Job. 18. Patient Job. Ps. 19. Sacred Psalmists. Prov. 20. Ancient Proverbs. Eccles. 21. An Empty (Weary) World. Song of S. 22. Wedding Ring (Jew's Harp). Is. 23. Weeping Willow (I Sigh Ah!) Jer. 24. A Penitential Book. Lam. 25. Bleating (Meek) Lamb. Ezek. 26. Easy Keel. Dan. 27. Oppressive (Exile, Weeping, Heathen) Babylon. Hosea. 28. Prophetic Hosea. Joel. 29. Prophetic Jeweler. Amos. 30. Prophetic Aims. Obed. 31. Mineral Ore-bed. Jonah. 32. Fish Hook Micah. 33. Michael Orange. Nahum. 34. Title Page (Name Book). Hab. 35. High Back (back up). Zeph. 36. Nigher Sepulcher. Hag. 37. High Hague Peak. Zech. 38. Righteous Zechariah. Mal. 39. Final (Minor) Prophet.

Mat. 1. Matlockite. Mk. 2. Pen (Stencil). Lu. 3. Lucern. Jo. 4. Joist. Acts. 5. Wax. Ro. 6. Rooms (Roads). I. Cor. 7. Corinth. II. Cor. 8. Corinthians. Gal. 9. Gals. Eph. 10. Effort (Feelings). Phil. 11. Filtered Water. Col. 12. Brass

Collar (Clock). I. Thes. 13. The Salt Onions. II. Thes. 14. The Sail Awnings. I. Tim. 15. Grazing Cattle. II. Tim. 16. Cattle Shed. Tit. 17. Alpine Titlis. Phil. 18. Slave-owning Philemon. Heb. 19. Male (He) Brewers. Jas. 20. Panic Jam (Jacobite Aims). I. Pet. 21. Petrified Earth. II. Pet. 22. Second Petard. I. Jo. 23. Leaf Joint. II. Jo. 24. Second Joist. III. Jo. 25. Knee Joint (Tired III.). Jude. 26. Judean House. Rev. 27. Revealed Heaven.

APPENDIX B.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

So slippery are numbers that sometimes wise people are embarrassed or mortified by forgetting so common a thing as the order of the Commandments. Children can easily hold the order by some such simple associations as the following:

1st. One God. 2d. Two tools—graven images. 3d. Trinity—name of God. 4th. Four weeks—Sabbath (four oars and Sabbath breaking). 5th. Five—fireside (or filial) parents. 6th. Six—sick—dead—murder. 7th. Seven—severed—divorced—adultery. 8th. Eight—ate what he stole (or with steel fork). 9th. Nine—denying—false witness. 10th. Ten—tent to cover—covet (or tent to cover ox, ass, etc.).

APPENDIX C.

WORDS FOR REMEMBERING THE TWELVE APOSTLES, ALSO FOR IDENTIFYING ALL THE VARIOUS NAMES GIVEN IN THE GOSPELS.

Note that the different names for the same Apostle come together.

The simple were deceived by Pettifoggers; and, Cephas, Peter + Andrew + Philip Simon: with simple candid zeal, they had + Simon, Canaanite, Zelotes + Thaddeus, Lebbeus, judgment at the bar than those. Tude -Bartholomew, Nathaniel + Thomas, Didymus + + who, leaving matters in judicious care, joined the two Levi, Matthew + Judas Iscariot: + John + the Two Jacobites, Jameses.

THE TWELVE PATRIARCHS, IN ORDER. GEN. XLIX.

The rude simoon leaves the jungle zebra scared.

Reuben, Simeon, Levi, Judah, Zebulun, Issachar,

Dangers gather as nature joins the beasts.

Dan, Gad, Asher, Naphtali, Joseph, Benjamin.

APPENDIX D.

I. Mnemonic List of Judges, Rulers, and Kings. JUDGES AND RULERS UP TO THE TIME OF THE KINGS.

ORDER OF SUCCESSION AND LENGTH OF OFFICE.

They did not all rule in one place or in strict succession.

The first number gives the order in succession; the second number the number of years they judged. Associate the name with the first mnemonic and that in turn with the second.

Moses, 1. Mountain. 40. Divine law.

Joshua, 2. Sword. 25. Fearless Heart.

Othniel, 3. Grass (ox kneel), 40. Difficult position.

Ehud, 4. A hub. (Time unknown.)

Shamgar, 5. Chamois or Gar. (Time unknown.)

Deborah, 6. Depot. 40. Right time or Behind time.

Gideon, 7. Gibeon. 40. Similar names.

Abimelech, 8. Abimelech. 3. Leek.

Tola, 9. Tollman. 23. Registered or entered crop (grain, fruit).

Jair, 10. Jar (concussion). 22. Heavy or slender jar (crockery).

Jephthah, 11. Black jet. 6. A jetty.

Ibzan, 12. Watch bezel. 7. Waltham or Elgin, etc.

Elon, 13. Large elm. 10. Shade.

Abdon, 14. Adding abacus. 8. Abyssinians.

Samson, 15. Slain lion. 20. Great strength (strange riddle).

Eli, 16. Ancient Tabernacle. 40. Unwise discipline (leniency). (Philistine invasion.)

Samuel, 17. Ancient Samos (Samaria or Ramah, where he lived last). (Time unknown.)

KINGS OF ISRAEL.

ORDER OF SUCCESSION AND LENGTH OF REIGN.

Jeroboam, 1. Kingdom. 21. Of Ten Provinces.

Nadab, 2. Bit neigh. 1. Water dabble.

Baasha, 3. Blades. 23. Of Fresh (Green) Grass. Sheep ba-a-h for.

Elah, 4. Laths. I. On the Ground.

Zimri, 5. Zimbi, a cowry (Zimb, a fly, an ephemera. He reigned seven days).

Omri, 6. Omnibus. 11. On a Hard (Flat, Sandy) Ground.

Ahab, 7. Ahanta, richest part of the Gold Coast. 22. New Money.

Ahaziah, 8. "Ahaziah." 2. On a Ring (Signet).

Jehoram, 9. A Driver. 12. With a Ram Bit. "Gee-hol ram." Jehu, 10. Zeal. 28. Of the Impetuous (Zealous) Jehu.

Jehoahaz, 11. A Harried Land. 17. Under the Neighboring (Ravaging) Syria, all the time of his reign.

Joash, 12. An Ash Shovel (Sifter). 16. In an Ash House (Shed).

Jeroboam II., 13. The Great Baobab. 41. Of Tropic Countries. J. was greatest of the kings.

Zechariah, 14. Half Sack. Ruled half a year.

Shallum, 15. Shallow Pates have no length of rule.

Menahem, 16. Large Menageries. 10. Teach Zoology.

Pekahiah, 17. Dangerous (Anarchic) Samaria, assassinated

2. Sword (Knife) for the Crown.

Pekah, 18. Assassinating Pekah. 20. Had the Same Fate. Hoshea, 19. The Last King. 9. Became a Prisoner.

KINGS OF JUDAH.

ORDER OF SUCCESSION AND LENGTH OF REIGN.

Rehoboam, 1. A Kingdom. 17. Of the Remaining Judea.

Abijam, 2. Jars. 3. For Fruit, or buy jam.

Asa, 3. The Ash. 41. Grows in Most Countries.

Jehoshaphat, 4. Bread. 25. With Less (Lean) Meat, so fat.

Jehoram. 5. A Ram. 8. In Jehoram.

Ahaziah, 6. A has hired a House. 1. And Lot.

Athaliah, 7. Athens. 6. And Temple.

Joash, 8. Joash asked for. 40. A Religious Collection (and bought a Syrian Peace with it).

Amaziah, 9. Conspirators killed. 29. The Fleeing King.

Uzziah, 10. Desire is natural. 52. For Numerous Arms and Secure Crown. So long a reign.

Jotham, 11. A Happy Land. 16. And Various Buildings.

Ahaz, 12. A has Vanquished Arms. 16. And Damascus Altars.

Hezekiah, 13. The Famous Fig. 29. And Healed (Penitent. King.

Manasseh, 14. A Man Hassock. 55. For Humbled Knees. Capture, repentance, and prayer of Manasseh.

Amon, 15. Aping Monkey. 2. With a Crown.

Josiah, 16. The Repaired Temple. 31. And a Religious (Revived, Pious) Land.

Jehoahaz, 17. Capturing (Quartering) Egypt. Taking captive into Egypt after quarter of a year's reign.

Jehoiakim, 18. The Warned Jehoiakim. 11. Came to the Graveless Ground. Cast out without burial.

Jehoiachin, 19. A Quarter (Captive) King. Reigned quarter of a year.

Zedekiah, 20. The Last Reign (Rebellion). II. And a Ravaged (Captive) Country.

II. Mnemonics for Bible Chronology.

RULE FOR DATES.

Use the Noun Classification for the figures in the units, tens, and hundreds places. Add a Verb to the hundreds and an Adjective to the tens.

E. g.: Each of the figures in 956 equal a great many things. Say we take Man, Horse, Stable. These could be associated naturally, and the order might be remembered as the mnemonic stands. But to ensure the order in memory, make the noun for the figure in hundreds place the subject of a verb, and qualify by an adjective the noun for the figure in tens place. Thus, A Man led a White Horse into the Stable. Any verb and adjective will do. Nor does it matter if you forget just what the verb or adjective was, so you remember which noun was subject and which was qualified by the adjective.

Ciphers in the tens or units place may be either ignored or used for convenience in the mnemonic; it does not affect the whole number. Thus, 30=a Green Tree, or a Green Tree with Shade. 301=a Tree stood on the Hill, or a Tree stood in Plain Sight on the Hill. 300=a Tree fell, or a Tree fell with a Great Noise, or a Tree fell with a Great Noise in the Night.

Except for very ancient dates mnemonics for the thousands are practically unnecessary. People have no use for dates who are so illiterate as to doubt whether an event occurred in the 1st or the 11th, in the 9th or the 19th Century. However, if one should wish to prefix the thousand in a modern date he can qualify the subject of the verb with any adjective, and that will signify one thousand.

For dates previous to 999 B. C., an Adjective in a qualifying the subject of the verb—i. e., the noun in the hundreds

place—equals 1000; in e=2000; in i=3000; in o=4000. Thus: 1906 B. C.—the Aged King died in the Temple. 2906—the Next King, etc.

The comparatively few and little used very ancient dates are naturally the most difficult for mnemonicizing. In the first place, the thousands must be included. Secondly, for many dates there is little—sometimes nothing—more than a name left on record. And thirdly, most of the names are strange to us and not easily associated.

BIBLE CHRONOLOGY.

It hardly need be said that this work is not an attempt to improve or approve all the dates given; but is intended to supply sample mnemonics for the dates as given in the most commonly used text-books.

The event is in plain type, the mnemonic nouns and adjectives heavy-faced, duplicates plain and in parentheses, mnemonic verbs and particles plain, purely explanatory or suggestive words italic.

- B. C.
- 4004. The Creation. The Oldest Date (Whole or World Creation) begins the Book (Page, List).
- 4003. The World first peopled after Paradise was left. The World Peopling cleared the Woods.
- 3875. Murder of Abel. Righteous Abel prefigured Future Calvary, with his Lamb.
- 3874. Seth born. The Third—Seth suggest Yorkshire Settle on the Map.
- 3769. Enos born. Irish Ennis is a Good Town for Quarrymen (Millers).
- 3679. Cainan born. Assyrian Cities filled Ancient Canaan with Emigrants.

- 3609. Mahalaleel born. The Stripped City, Jerusalem, contained his Descendant. (Namesake.) Neh. xi: 4.
- 3544. Jared born. Sick Bodies have Easy (Soft) Beds and Chairs, so as not to be jarred. Jared.
- 3382. Enoch born. White Asphodel inoculated Young Enoch with the Spear. Enoch never died. Mythology and Asphodel, Spear.
- 3317. Methuselah born. The White Senecio sprang from the Old Soil of Asia.
- 3130. Lamech, Father of Noah, born. The Wide (Tired)

 Earth was cursed with Lamentable Thorns. Gen. v: 29.
- 3074. Adam died. A Mighty (Silly) Credulity in Modern Palestine is laughed at in a Book. Mark Twain weeping at the "grave of Adam."
- 3017. Enoch translated. A Pious Walk (Quick Translation) led from the Lowly Earth to Heaven (Paradise).
- 2962. Seth died. The Second Son to enter the Dark House of the Spade.
- 2948. Noah born. The Weary Father was glad over the Comforting Cradle of Noah. Gen. v: 29.
- 2864. Enos died. Ended Enos entered the Dark House and Coffin.
- 2769. Cainan died. Western (Inherited) Canaan preserved Some Tombs of Patriarchs.
- 2714. Mahalaleel died. The Wending (Yellow) Mahanadi is an Indian River on the Map.
- 2582. Jared died. His Dead Body suggests Dead Jared and a Jar, earthen.
- 2469. Noah called to preach and build the Ark. Collected (Selected) Wood (Timber) for the Great (Ordered) Ark occupied the Builder (Patriarch).

- 2448. Japhet born. A Japhetic Cradle was added to the Other (Household) Furniture of Noah. (Ethnic Books give the Western Map to Japhet—or Japhetites.)
- 2446. Shem born. The Shemitic Cradle followed the Japhetic Cradle into the House.
- 2353. Lamech died. Fresh Flowers cover the Lamented (Lame, Weary) Body under the Grass (Sod).
- 2349. Methuselah died. Fresh (Green) Mathes (Senecio) would suit the Old Coffin of the Patriarch.
- 2349. The Flood. Submerged Forests baffle the Old Maps (Charts) of Navigators.
- 2348. After the Flood. Noah planted a vineyard and was drunk. New (Fresh, Green) Vines furnished New Wine for Noah.
- 2346. Arphaxad born. New Hemp supplied New Flax (New Cradle) for the House (Factory).
- 2311. Salah born. Tender Salad grow with Good Soil and Water.
- 2281. Eber born. That Early Link connects (named) Every Hebrew in the World. Patronymic.
- 2247. Peleg born. The Ethnic (Severing) Pen began the Divided Map for Asia. Gen. x: 25.
- 2234. Nimrod's Supremacy and the beginning of the Assyrian Empire. Metal Rods are stronger than Green Withes or Pegs. Nimrod means strong.
- 2233. Foundation of Babel. Clearing Tools cut away the Green Grass and Weeds for foundations.
- 2217. Reu born. Steel Rails now follow the Swiss River, the Reuss, to St. Gothard.
- 2188. Mizraim Lead colonies to Egypt. A New (Fresh) Land

- (Country) was settled by Migrating Mizraim—the Egyptian.
- 2185. Serug born. The Breezy (Tempestuous) Sea would suit Rugged Serug with his Body (Arm). Serug means strength.
- 2155. Nahor born. Sheep Countries import the Himalayan Sheep—the Nahoor. (Fierce Winds bring Neighing Horses to their Feet.)
- 2124. Terah born. A Terrified Country dreads the Terrible Sword and Torch.
- 2008. Peleg died. Dread Death has Another Legacy in Peleg.
- 2007. Nahor died. Feared Death is a Nameless Horror from Sheol.
- 1998. Noah died. The Fabled (Classic) Ferryman had a Notable Navigator (Passenger) in Noah.
- 1996. Abram born. The Faithful Father was followed (claimed) by All Descendants of the House.
- 1986. Sarai born. The Fated Child was destined to Faithful Abram and his House.
- 1978. Reu died. The Departed (Taken) Patriarch reminds us of the Swiss (Swift) Reuss and Reuben.
- 1955. Serug died. The Departed (Passing, Taken) Patriarch left his Rugged Body to the Worms. (The Castaway Seaman gives his Rugged Body to the Fish.)
- 1925. Chedorlaomer subdued Sodom, etc. The Cheerless King took his Conquering Sword in Hand.
- 1923. Terah migrated from Ur to Haran. Wandering Emigrants need a Mariner's Compass in the Woods. Terah means Wandering.

- 1921. Abram migrated to Canaan. The Able (Departing)

 Emigrant takes Some Money from the Land.
- 1920. Famine drove Abram to Egypt. Return and division of Land with Lot. The Famine Emigrant brought back a Surveying Compass (Chain).
- 1913. Battle of the Confederate Kings by the Salt Sea. Battling Kings (Men, Confederates) gathered by the Salty Sea like Leaves.
- 1913. Renewed promise to Abram that his seed should possess the whole land. The Faithful (Abramic) Descendants (Children) shall cover the Whole Land like the Grass (Leaves.)
- 1910. Sarai gave Hagar to Abraham. Ishmael born. The Anxious (Barren) Wife feared for the Promised (Uninherited) Land.
- 1908. Arphaxad died. A Flax Lad suggests Arphaxad.
- 1897. The names of Abram and Sarai changed. Circumcision Covenant and promise of great posterity—there. The Changed Abram and Sarai were promised Numerous and Illustrious Descendants in Canaan.
- 1897. Visit of the three angels and destruction of Sodom, etc. Gracious Abraham entertained the Three Angels at Mamre (prayed for the Wicked Inhabitants of Sodom).
- 1896. Isaac born. Patient Abraham received the Promised Heir to his House.
- 1896. Moab and Ammon born. Unnatural Lot has Grandson Sons in his House.
- 1890. Hagar and Ishmael were sent away. Banished (Castout) Hagar took her Young Son and Bottle. Associate glass bottle, not the ancient skin.

- 1878. Salah died. Departed Salah suggests Peaceful (Eternal)
 Salem and Saladin.
- 1871. Abraham offered up Isaac. Ancient Jews thought Sacred Moriah the Mountain.
- 1859. Sarah died. Purchase of a burying place. Sad Abraham provided for the Dead Bodies of his Wives.
- 1856. Isaac and Rebekah married. Gracious Rebekah watered the Kneeling Camels at the Well.
- 1846. Shem died. Departed Shem suggests a Coffin Shelf in a Tomb (Vault).
- 1837. Jacob and Esau born. The Contrasting Jacob and Esau suggest Corn Cob and Etah in India.
- 1821. Abraham died. Departed Abraham suggests Hammered Nails and Earth.
- 1817. Heber died. Departed Heber suggests the Burial Ground and Hebron.
- 1796. Esau married two Hittites. Pagan Hebron (Canaan) furnished Two Wives to the House.
- 1773. Ishmael died. Bessarabian Ismail gathers from Southern Russia her Corn (Wheat).
- 1760. Jacob supplanted Esau and fled to Haran. The Family (Safe, Mesopotamian) Haran afforded a Safe Home.
- 1758. Reuben born, and four brothers in succeeding years.

 Happy (Native) Haran met the Childish Eyes of Reuben,
 etc.
- 1745. Joseph born. Jacob persuaded to stay longer. Detaining Haran still has his Increased Furniture and Cattle.
- 1739. Jacob started to Canaan with his flocks. Attractive (Native) Canaan has Abundant Grass for the Herdsman (Emigrant).

- 1739. Benjamin born and Rachel died. Regained Canaan has Funeral Flowers for the Father.
- 1729. Joseph sold into Egypt. Enslaving Egypt paid Ready Money for Slaves.
- 1718. Joseph imprisoned through Pharaoh's wife. Wanton Egypt was a Dangerous Land for Joseph.
- 1716. Isaac died at Hebron, his home. The Same Hebron adjoined the Purchased Field and Home (Tomb).
- 1715. Joseph made governor of Egypt through the dream about the fat and lean kine, etc. Seven years of plenty began. Fat Egypt was a Good Country for Kine.
- 1708. Beginning of Famine. Famished Egypt confirmed Joseph.
- 1704-3. The Egyptians—except priests—give all their land, cattle, and money for bread. All Egypt was sold for Bread and Wheat.
- 1689. Jacob's death and funeral. The Atad Threshing-floor astonished the Native (Gazing, Neighboring) Canaanites with the Mourners.
- 1635. Joseph died and his body embalmed. Embalming Laboratories (Houses) gathered Special Herbs (Spices, etc.) for Bodies.
- 1619. Levi died. The Last House, the grave, was the Only Land, for his Descendants the Levites had no land.
- 1577. Beginning of bondage under a king that knew not Joseph. A Changed Head made a Changed Egypt, and Goshen, especially.
- 1574. Aaron born. The Tracing Eye (Hand) finds the Rising Aar on the Map.
- 1573. Pharaoh commanded the Israelite male infants to be

- thrown into the river. Small (Baby) Bodies were thrown into the Muddy Nile like Weeds.
- 1571. Moses born. His Safe Body floated on the Muddy Nile near the Shore (Bank).
- 1531. Moses fled to Midian and kept the flock of Jethro in a desert region. Wandering Sheep find Little Moss (Grass) in the Desert.
- 1530. Caleb born. Stray Cattle eat the Young Kale.
- 1491. Exodus and Journey to Sinai. Various Maps trace or mark the Marching (Departing) People across the Sea
 —through the Desert—to the Mountain.
 - " Manna Bread began for the Hungry (Wandering, Marching) People in the Desert.
 - "The Mosaic Rod brought the Thirsty People Water out of the Rock.
 - "The Mosaic (Exalted) Rod helped the Weary Fighters from the Hill (in the Desert).
 - " A Face Veil covered the Descended Lawgiver at the Mount.
- 1490. The Mosaic (Sacred) Book tells of Tabernacle Workers (Makers)—Consecrated Priests—Burnt Priests—Offering Princes—the Congratulating Father-in-Law of Moses—Additional (Assistant) Judges and Elders—Fleshly (Plagued) People—the Rebuked Brother and Sister—of Moses—and the Kadesh-Barnea (Sent, Returned) Spies.
- 1452. Miriam and Aaron died. Plain Coffins suit Dead (Princely) Bodies—not Jewels or Breastplates.
 - "Moses struck the rock with the rod impatiently. The Sacred Rod in Impatient Hands was like a Sword (Petard) in result.

- 1452. Plague of serpents. A Raised (Tall) Pole bore—exhibited, a Healing Serpent of Brass.
- 1451. Sihon, Og, and Balak conquered. The Amorite (Bashan, Balak) Standards gathered to keep the Israelite Feet off the Land.
 - "The Balaam (Belaboring) Staff smote the Fallen (Patient) Ass on the Ground.
- 1451. Second numbering of the people. Inhabitant (Tax Lists number, count, contain Every Head in the Land.
 - " Midianites exterminated. The Advancing Standards strew the Midianitish Bodies over the Land (Ground).
 - " Moses died. The Mosaic Books end with his Parting (Closing) Eyes on the Land of promise. (A Strange, Miraculous Coffin received the Vanished Body on the Mount).
 - " Jordan crossed. The Sacred (Carried, Advanced) Ark made Dry Feet in the River. (Canvas Pads protect Carrying Shoulders from Stone.)
 - " Capture of Jericho. The Sacred Ark advanced with the Ram's Horns over the Ground.
 - "Achan's Sin and capture of Ai. Blazing Wood burnt the Mangled Bodies to Ashes (to the Ground).
 - " Altar with the Commandments at Mt. Ebal. Cursing and Blessing. And the Law Book was read in the People's Ears from the Mount.
 - "League with the Gibeonites by their deception.

 Ragged Sacks (Stale Bread) was carried by the Gibeonite Asses over the Hills.
 - " Joshua defeated the five Kings. Miracle of the hail and the sun. Canvas Helmets protect Exposed Heads from Hail and Sun.

- 1445. Further conquest, and division of the land by Joshua.

 National (Chancery) Chests (Books) preserve the Land
 Papers (Maps) and Parchments.
- 1444. Tabernacle set up at Shiloh. The **Tabernacle Pillars** were set up with the **High-low** (Connecting) **Bars** and **Boards**.
- 1443. Death of Joshua. Laden Baskets heap Soldiers' (Jostled) Coffins with Flowers.
- 1405. Othniel defeated Cushan and procures forty years' rest for the people. The Handy Ottoman cushions (rests) the Body (Feet).
- 1343. Beginning of 18 years' oppression under Eglon. Eighteen Egg-plants cover a Long Trellis with their Leaves.
- 1325. Ehud stabbed Eglon in the belly and the Land had rest 40 years. A Fat (Hard) Egg-plant suggests a Twoedged (Left-handed) Dagger in the Belly.
- 1308 (?) Shamgar comes somewhere after Eglon. The Native Shamrock suggests Shamgar.
- 1305. Oppression under Jabin began. Fragrant Jasmine delights the Nose.
- 1285. Defeat and death of Sisera. A Sharp Nail would fasten Sleeping (Defeated, Fleeing) Sisera by the Head, though a tent pin or peg was the real thing.
- 1252. Seven years' oppression began under the Midianites, who swarmed in and devoured everything. Brave (Warlike) Arms can't keep Swarming Midges from Pots (Jars, Dishes).
- 1245. Deliverance by Gideon. The Shading Pitchers hid the Burning Wicks from the Eye. Jud. vii: 16.
- 1236. Aged Gideon died and was buried in the sepulcher of

- Joash, his Father. The Famous Sword was hung by the Ash Tree at Home (the Sepulcher).
- 1235. Usurpation of Abimelech and Jotham's Parable of the Trees. A Vacant Crown begged Various Trees for a Head to fill it.
- 1233. Abimelech destroyed Shechem, and was killed at Thebez.
 The Fractured Millstone struck the Burning Bramble among the Cedars. Jud. ix: 15, 53.
- 1232. Tola became judge. A Brass Tola (Token) suggests

 Circling Wreaths and Crowns—on coins and medals, etc.
- 1210. Jair became judge. Large Jars hold Fresh Water.
- 1187. Jephthah was recalled from Tod to be captain of the host. The Invaded Country recalled the Exiled Jephthah from Tod.
- 1182. Ibzan became judge. The Lawless Country called Busy Ibzan from his Tools.
- 1175. Elon became judge. Tall Mountains, like the Western Elks, abound in Elks.
- 1164. Abdon became judge. Lawless Lands have Abandoned Courts and Benches (Books).
- 1156. Eli, the high priest, became judge also. The Lawless Land brought the Priestly Head to the Court.
- 1155. Samson born. The Invaded (Enslaved) Country needed a Strong Head and Heart (Hand, Arm, Body).
- 1137. Samson's betrothal. The lion at the vineyards of Timnath. A Dangerous Country joined the Neighboring Vineyards at Timnath.
- 1136. Samson burned the standing corn, etc. Prairie Fires burn Standing Corn and Fences (Houses, etc).
- 1117. Samson's exploits and death at Gaza. Natural Gas suggests Iron Ore and Gaza (Pittsburg).

- III6. Defeat, capture and return of the ark. Death of Eli.

 A Faithless (Pagan) Land can't be a Safe Land through its Tabernacle (Temple) merely.
- 1096. Repentance under Samuel at Mizpeh. Sacrifice, thunder and victory. Miraculous Thunder helped the Repentant (Sacrificing) People near the Altar (Monument. Eben-ezer).
- 1095. Saul made king. Bad Management (Pagan Example) called for a Human King as Head.
- 1085. David born. A Great Destiny awaited Young David as Head.
- 1063. Samuel anointed David. The Sacred Call (Selection) came to Another House and Branch (Scion).
- 1060. David fled and dwelt in Gath and Ziklag. A Safer Life (Chance) was sought in the Pagan (Philistine) Cities.
- 1055. Saul slain and David King. A Fatal Battle (Disaster) raised up the Greatest Head and Arm (Heart).
- 1048. All Israel united under David. National Unity established—rallied around—the Royal Seat (Standard) of David.
- 1047. Jerusalem captured and made the royal city. Greater Strength (Centrality) took the Royal Seat (Standard) to Jerusalem.
- 1045. Removal of the ark to Zion. Great Praise accompanied the Moving Ark, from Mouths, Hands, Feet.
- 1044. David consulted Nathan about the Temple. A Great Contrast was suggested by his own Cedar Beams and Boards. "I dwell in a house of cedar, etc."
- 1035. David at ease; and the crime against Uriah. Careless

- Ease (Passionate Indulgence) sows Many Thorns for the Body (Heart).
- 1033. Solomon born. The Happy (Amiable) Name suggests
 Olive Branches and Solomon's-seal. Solomon means
 peace.
- 1032. Amnon ravaged Tamar. The Unnatural Crime suggests Ravaged (Hacked) Tamarack (Tamarind, Tamarisk) and the Ax.
- 1030. Absalom murdered Amnon. Absolute Murder avenged the Ravaged Tamarack (Sisal—sister).
- 1027. David allowed Absalom to return to Jerusalem.
 Fatherly Feeling readmitted the Dangerous Weapon to Jerusalem.
- 1025. Absalom readmitted to the presence of David. Sham Affection (Loyalty) got the Palace Key into his Hand.
- 1023. Absalom's rebellion and death. The Tragic Life ended with Three Darts in an Oak.
- 1017. Numbering of the people and the pestilence. The Arrogant (Vain) Numbering brought a Pestilential Air upon Palestine.
- 1016. Rehoboam born to Solomon by Naamah, an Ammonite woman. The Naamah Marriage connected the Ammonitish Land with the House (Palace).
- 1015. Solomon made king, David died. It is a Solemn Act to give a Whole Country a Head.
- 1014. Solomon married to Pharaoh's daughter. Pharaonic Agreements (Contracts) were recorded on Hard Stone or Papyrus.
- 1012. Foundation of Solomon's Temple, The Great Undertaking began on the Sacred Hill with Tools.

- 1005. Solomon's Temple finished. The Great Undertaking was finished by—out of Hand.
- 1004. Dedication of the Temple. The Detailed Account (Dedication, Prayer) is given in the Book.
- 975. Division into two Kingdoms, Rehoboam and Jeroboam.

 The King of Southern and of Northern Palestine suggests a Boa (Boar).
- 971. Invasion of Shishak, king of Egypt. An Invader shakes All Jerusalem and the Country.
- 958. Abijam succeeded Rehoboam in Judea. A Buyer with a Jammed Hand suggests Abijam [and soothing the jammed hand will suggest the Southern Abijam; not the king of Samaria.]
- 957. Abijam defeated Jehoram and slew 500,000. The Buyer furnished—took—Half a million Carcasses to—from Samaria.
- 955. As a succeeded Abijam in Judea. Costermongers use small (Patient) Asses instead of Horses.
- 954. Nadab succeeded Jeroboam. Dabblers put their Little Hands (Feet) in the Tub.
- 953. Baasha succeeded Nadab. Shepherds lead the Ba-a-ing Sheep to Grass.
- 951. As a put down idolatry and fortified the country—in peace. Farmers fence Wild Asses from the Land.
- 941. Ethiopian invaders defeated and much spoil taken by Asa. The Invaders left their Ethiopian Bags on the Ground (in the Country).
- 930. Elah succeeded Baasha. Fishermen catch Slippery Eels (Hunters chase Wild Elks).
- 929. Zimri slew Elah and all the house of Baasha. After-

- wards he burned himself and palace. The Usurper with the Bloody Simitar (Zimri) became a Fireman.
- 925. Omri overcoming his rival Tibni, became sole king of Israel. The Contestant (Rival) got the Whole (Omnipotent) Crown on his Head.
- 924. Omri bought land and founded the city of Samaria.

 The King paid All—Omnium—the Money for the Deed.
- 918. Ahab succeeded Omri. Inhabitants inhabit Habitable Countries and suggest Ahab.
- 914. Jehoshaphat succeeded Asa. Drivers gee-ho too fast in Some Countries to see the Posts (signboards).
- 912. Jehoshaphat increased instructors, arms, and wealth.
 The King had an Improved Country with Arms and Money.
- 901. Ben-hadad besieged Samaria and was beaten off with great slaughter. The Besiegers fled (Skedaddled— Ben-hadad) from the Country.
- 899. Naboth slain for his vineyard. Naboth suggests Neighboring Owner (Covetous Neighbor) and the Queen (Prophet).
- 898. Ahab and Jehoshaphat make their sons partners as King. Ahab and Jehoshaphat copartnered their Respective Sons Ahaziah and Jehoram.
- 897. Ahab and Jehoshaphat consulted False Prophets about Ramoth Gilead.
 - "The Moabites revolted from the New King of Samaria.
- 896. Sending of the fifties. Ahaziah's fall. Elijah's visit, and King's death. Elijah visited the Sick (Fallen, Dying) King in his Chamber (Palace).
 - " Jehoram succeeded Ahaziah in Samaria. Jehoram

- suggests the Samaritan (Ram) Driver and Barn-ge-horam.
- 892. Jehoram associated with Jehoshaphat as King of Judea.

 Jehoram suggests a Jewish (Ram) Driver with Jewelry,
 as distinguished from the Samaritan J.
- 889. Jehoram succeeded the Dead Jehoshaphat as King-alone now.
 - "The Libnites imitated, joined, the Revolted Edomites against the King (Fratricide).
- 888. Elijah wrote to the Wicked Jehoram influenced by Athaliah.
- 885. Ahaziah succeeded the Juggling-Judea-Jehoram as Head alone.
- 884. Jehu slew the Baalite Jehoram—Jezebel—(Numerous Ahabites, etc.) on his List and reigned.
- 878. Jehoiada brought Loyal Judea under Joash (Rid Usurped Judea of Athaliah).
- 857. Jehoiada ordered to repair the Temple. Jehoiada was given Free Hand in Zion.
 - " Jehoahaz succeeded Jehu. Oppressed during the whole reign by Syria. Jehoahaz has the Heavy Hand of Syria over him.
- 841. Jehoahaz takes Joash into partnership as King of Israel. Jehoahaz has his Ash Box lifted from the Ground.
- 840. Zechariah, son, and successor most likely, of the high priest, slain in the temple court. Zechariah was slain in his Linen (Officiating) Robe by order of
 - " Joash who was slain in his Guilty Bed; and
 - " Amaziah took the Higher Seat.
- 839. Joash succeeded Jehoahaz as King of Israel. Joash

- suggests a Sapling (Samaritan Sample) Ash for Bow-makers. [Sapling or Sample to distinguish the Samaritan J.]
- 826. Amaziah provoked Joash to battle; was defeated and captured, and 400 cubits of the city wall was broken down. Amaziah brought Invading Axes against the Walls.
- 825. Jeroboam II. succeeded Joash, King of Israel. Jeroboam II. suggests a Second Crown on a Jerboa.
- 810. Uzziah succeeded Amaziah, King of Judah. Uzziah suggests a Hustling (Guzzling) Country.
- 808. 13th Jubilee held under the two most flourishing kings. Jeroboam jubilates with Uzziah.
- 784. Jeroboam II. died, and eleven years of anarchy followed. Samaria missed the Strong Jeroboam at the Helm (on the Seat).
- 773. Zechariah succeeded—or tried to. Samaria did not supply All Palestine with her Rye.
- 772. Shallum slew Zechariah, and reigned a month in Samaria, when Menahem came from Tirzah, slew him, and reigned. Tirzah beat Shallow Samaria for the Crown.
- 771. Pul, King of Assyria, invaded Samaria and was bought off for 100 talents of silver. Samaria pulled Invading Assyria off the Land with money.
- 761. Pekahiah succeeded Menahem. Pekin is a Higher City up the River.
- 759. Pekah slew and succeeded Pekahiah. Tarshish supplied Gay Peacocks for the King, Solomon.
- 758. Jotham succeeded Uzziah. Gotham sounds to the Careless Ear like Jotham.

- 758. Judah was like the Squeezing Bear (Sucking Leech) to the Ammonites in this reign.
- 742. Ahaz succeeded Jotham. Ahanta has filled Many Chests with Coin. The richest province of the Gold Coast.
 - " Syria and Samaria joined Invading Standards and Arms against Judah.
- 739. Hoshea, son of Elah, murdered and succeeded Pekah.

 Samaria had an Eel-like Osier for King.
- 728. The King of Assyria made Hoshea pay tribute.

 Assyria forced Tribute (Hush) Money from Hoshea.
- 726. Hezekiah succeeded Ahaz. Jerusalem relighted the Neglected Lamps in the Temple (laid the Reforming Ax on the Altars).
- 725. So, King of Egypt, persuaded Hoshea to refuse tribute to Assyria. Samaria so wished the Assyrian Chains off her Neck (Hands).
- 721. The Assyrians invaded Samaria and ended that Kingdom. Assyria Wiped the Samaritan Crown from the Earth.
- 713. Sennacherib invaded Judea, and was pacified with tribute. Judea received from the Assyrian Land her Senna.
 - " Hezekiah's sickness. The sun went back. The healing fig. Sunnyside (Sundale, Smyrna) suggests the Lingering Sun and Figs.
- 710. Destruction of Sennacherib's army. Jerusalem was delivered by a Pestilential Air.
- 698. Manasseh succeeded Hezekiah. The Palace had the Longest Occupant in Manasseh. He reigned 55 years.
- 677. Manasseh was taken to prison in Babylon. A Prison in Far Babylon was exchanged for Jerusalem.

- 656. Judith beheaded Holofernes. A Crematory is suggested by Whole (Hot) Bodies in a Furnace.
- 643. Amon succeeded Manasseh. A Monument is surrounded by Park Seats under the Trees (and Grass).
- 641. Amon was succeeded by Josiah. A Monument can't succeed like Good Books for the Country (World).
- 630. Josiah began reforms. Pagan altars, high places, groves, etc., destroyed. Altars were destroyed under the Higher (Sighing) Groves.
- 624. Temple repaired and Book of the Law found. The Temple contained Rusty (Forgotten) Keys and a Book.
- 610. Shallum King for three months. The Ship—of State—
 (City, Palace) got into Shallow Water.
 - "Jehoiakim made King. The Ship skims over Rough Waters (the Wagon ge-haw-s over Rough Ground).
- 606. Jehoiakim taken prisoner to Babylon, but on submission was allowed to live in his own house. His Prison was changed for a House.
- 603. Jehoiakim rebelled. The Wagon ge-haw-d away in the Bushes (the Boat skimmed over the Bulrushes).
- " Daniel interpreted Nebuchadnezzar's dream. The Palace was furnished with Sesame.
- 599. Judea ravaged. Jehoiakim slain, and his carcass drawn out of the gate, as foretold by the prophet. The Carcass was drawn out by the Gate-Keepers and Scavengers (by the Street Cleaners—Gate-keepers—according with the Prophet).
- " Jehoiachin reigned three months. The Chin suggests Tender Barbers and Dentists.
- " Zedekiah made King. He was a paternal uncle of

- 588. Zedekiah's eyes were put out, and he was taken to Babylon. Complete destruction of Jerusalem, etc. The Eyes of the Captive Zedekiah were put out by Nebuchadnezzar.
- 569. Nebuchadnezzar became like a beast and was driven out from men. Beasts are driven from Cattle Sheds (Barns—Decent Houses) by Men.
- 562. Evil-Merodach succeeded Nebuchadnezzar. Weevils infest Grain Houses, in spite of Locks.
 - "He released Zedekiah and admitted him to the palace and royal table, but his Eyes never saw the Grand Palace and Plate.
- 555. Belshazzar followed Evil-Merodach as king. Sheep follow at the Bell (Shaggy) Wether's Heels.
 - "Daniel's Dream and Vision of the beasts with horns, wings, etc. Beasts appear with Various Horns and Wings.
- 553. Daniel's Vision of the ram and the he-goat. Rams, like He-Goats, eat Grass.
- 538. Belshazzar's feast, Handwriting on the wall. The Hand suggests Wall Flowers (Bell-Flowers) and Belshazzar.
- 537. Daniel's supplication in Babylon for Jerusalem. His Knees bent like the Supple (Weeping) Willow of Babylon (for Jerusalem).
- 536. Cyrus became King of Persia. Edict to rebuild Temple at Jerusalem. Ivory is like Hard Cypress for Buildings.

- 535. Foundation of the Temple laid. Hands clear the Desolate Weeds, ete., from under Foot.
- 534. The building of the Temple was disturbed through Samaritan bribery at court. Their Hands put Brier Berries in the Cabinet.
- 529. Letters written to the new King Artaxerxes stop the building of the Temple. Hands exercise the Artful Pen against the Builders.
- 520. Building of Temple resumed in second year of Darius.

 Their Hands resume the Abandoned (Various) Tools.
- 519. Ahasuerus put away Vashti as Queen. His Hand ruled a Vast Country—not the Queen, altogether.
- 518. The King chose Esther as Queen. His Eye chose from the Whole Country, Esther.
- 515. Temple dedicated and Passover celebrated. Bullocks were offered on the Old Ground (for the Restored Country) with Rams and Lambs.
- 510. Haman's plot failed. The Jews allowed to defend themselves. Corpses strew the Whole Land.
- 467. Ezra commissioned to reform the Church at Jerusalem. A Commission (the Paper Document) was brought from the Persian Palace to Jerusalem.
- 455. Ezra got the strange wives divorced. Divorces (the Papers) were signed with Heavy Hearts and Hands.
 - "Nehemiah got commission as governor to rebuild the walls of Jerusalem. Stools are used for Kneeling Knees and the Feet.
- 442. Nehemiah, the Cup-bearer, returned to the King of Persia. Wine must be served at the Royal Table in Cups.

- Judea subjugated by Ptolemy. The Jujube was trimmed with a Tolu Knife.
- 276. Beginning of the "Septuagint" translation at Alexandria. The Pen (Graver, Chisel) was used in Ancient Alexandria on Sepulchers.
- 177 Heliodorus sent by Seleucus to seize the Temple treasures. Helium was not discovered about Secluded Jerusalem or in Zion.
- 175. Jason bribed Antiochus and became high priest. The Air resounded about Antique Zion with Jays.
- 172. Menelaus out-bribed Jason and became high priest under Antiochus. Melanite was got in Antique Zion for Money.
- 170. Beginning of persecution by Epiphanes. The Soil (Air) was profuned in Holy Jerusalem.
- 166. Insurrection under the Maccabees. The Provinces make a Beast Shamble of the Towns.
- 160. Jonathan both prince and high priest. The Country joins a Palace Temple (sets up a Joiner's Shop).
- 143. Simon Maccabeus. Simoons make a Bee Hive fly through the Trees.
- 136. Conquests of John Hyrcanus. Hurricanes destroy Sugar Cane and Houses.
- 135. Beginning of siege of Jerusalem by Sidetes. The Country could bring in no Outside (Eating) Grain for their Mouths.
- 105. Aristobulus I. The Air is disturbed for the First Time (Night) by Bulbuls.
- 105. Civil war began under Alexander Jannæus. Sand tires Jannets, i. e., makes heavy roads or burdens.

- 78. The crown is left to the widow Alexandra. Widowed Judea under Alexandra.
- 69. Hyrcanus II. A Hired Cannery and Secretary [II].
- 57. An oligarchy set up in Jerusalem. An Oily Gar (Hydra Head) in Jerusalem.
- Crassus plunders Jerusalem. Grasping Hands in the Chests (Crashing Hands on the Doors).
- 47. Antipater governor of Judea. Antiquated Pattens in Judea.
 - But Hyrcanus high priest, but Hired Canes in Jerusalem.
- 40. Antigonus, last of the Asmonæan princes. The Last Ash-box.
- 37. Herod the Great. Rodwood Tree (Plant) in Judea.
- 29. Herod has Mariamne executed. Marriage Ring and Maniac (Murderer).
- Herod began rebuilding the Temple. Prepared (Contract) Stone (Broken Ground) and Herod.
- The Angel Gabriel appeared to Zachary, and six months later to S. Mary. Gable.
- Birth of John the Baptist and six months later that of Christ. Cradles.
- Archelaus succeeded Herod. Archil. The Vulgar Christian Era begins here.

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- 4. Massacre of the Innocents. Cradles.
- 4. Death of Herod. Coffin.
- Dominions divided between Herod's three sons, Rods.
 Archelaus, Lace. Antipas, Pastry, and Philip, Flip.
- 8. Christ with the doctors in the Temple. Dr. Templeton.
- " Tiberius emperor.

- 14. Caiaphas made high priest. A Natural Cave and Map for exploring.
- 26. Pontius Pilate made Procurator of Judea. A Pointing (Pilot's) Compass for a Ship.
- 27. John the Baptist began to preach and baptize. A Baptismal Font and the Jordan.
- First Passover of Christ's Ministry. Passed-over Furze.
- Second Passover of Christ's Ministry. Seckle Pears on the Ground.
- 32. Third Passover of Christ's Ministry. Trifoliate Plants and Trident (Triangle).
- Fourth Passover and Crucifixion. Passion Flowers and the Tree.
- 34. Stoning of S. Stephen. First Persecutions and Missions. First Seeds and the Roll (Calendar, Diptych).
 "Blood of the martyrs—Seed of the Church."
- 35. Conversion of Saul. Salt Bushes and Flocks. They pasture on them in Australia. (Pricking Thorns and Feet. "Kick against the pricks." Damask Rose and Face. Damascus.)
- 38-41. Saul in Judea, Arabia, Syria, and Cilicia. The New Graft (Salt Bush Seed) among the Judeans, etc.—through the Whole Map of the Country.
- 38-9. S. Peter visited the Churches of Judea, Samaria, and Galilee; Domestic Plants and S. Peter—the Apostle.
 - 40. Conversion of Cornelius. A Small Cornice.
 - " Beginning of Church at Antioch. A Handy (Calf) Yoke for beginners.
 - 44. Persecution by Herod. Killing of S. James and deliverance of S. Peter. Jacob's Ladder and the Door.

- 44. Miserable death of Herod. A Rotten Rod in a Coffin.
 - 45. Mission to Cyprus and Asia Minor. A Cypress Staff (Map) in Hand.
- 46-8. Mission to Iconium, Lystra, Derbe, and return to Antioch in Syria. A Conned-over List (Map) of the Cities—by S. Paul.
 - "S. Paul's Vision of the "third Heaven." A Glorious Picture of a City.
 - "S. Timothy, his Mother and Grandmother embrace the Christian faith. The Sacred Scripture in that Home (House). II. Tim. i:5; iii:15.
- 50-2. First Council—about Meats, etc. Threatened schism. Pagan Meats and Council—Scissors.
- 51-3. Second Missionary journey of S. Paul. Sedulous Feet on the Ground—Grass.
- 52-4. S. Paul at Athens. Scandalized Eyes (Anxious Heart) at the Images—Incense.
- 52-4. Arrival of S. Paul at Corinth. Laboring Hands with Needle—Thread (Tents).
- 54-6. Latter part of S. Paul's second Missionary journey and return to Syria. Glad Eyes at the Sails—Cities familiar to him.
- 54-7. Beginning of S. Paul's third Missionary journey and arrival at Ephesus. Third Joint in a Splint at Ephesus.
- 58-60. End of third Missionary journey and arrival of S. Paul at Jerusalem. The Tired Feet of S. Paul—Thrice-holy City.
- 58-60. S. Paul before Felix. Left in prison. The Trembling Heart of Felix—Provincial Prison. (Fabled Phenix and Felix.)

- 60-2. S. Paul before Festus and Agrippa. Festive Hall—Goblets. Grippe Hospital—Vials.
- 61-3. S. Paul's arrival at Rome. Grain (Egyptian) Ship in Port (at Land)—Grain.
 - 67. SS. Peter and Paul said to have suffered martyrdom towards the end of Nero's reign. Commemorating Church at Rome. Ch. of SS. Peter and Paul.
 - 68. Probable time of S. John's banishment to Patmos and writing of the Revelation. The **Heavenly City** and S. John.
 - 70. Destroyed Jerusalem.

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